



SANTAS EVERYWHERE

School children all over Victoria staged Christmas previews today with classroom parties, complete with costumes, treats and exchange of gifts. It was a double celebration for youngsters; today they pack

up their books until Jan. 6. Santa Claus masks, junior style, were favorites at party held this morning in James Bay Elementary School. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

\$875,000 Stock Fraud Revealed

B.C. Gang Sought By Police

By PETER MURRAY

A gang of phony stock racketeers who bilked U.S. investors of an estimated \$875,000 from their "offices" in Vancouver have been routed by provincial securities officials and police.

The bizarre story of how the international ring operated behind a door marked "Klwanis Club of Vancouver Youth Services" came to light today.

The men, believed to number about 20, carried on the swindle for about seven weeks until they fled last week just before police closed in.

The fraud detail of the Vancouver police force is attempting now to track down the gang.

BY PHONE

The men sold stock by long-distance telephone to persons living in rural areas of the Eastern U.S.

The stock was in a company named "Canadian Alumina Corporation Limited," said to be backed by a Halifax brokerage firm.

The gang operated a total of 17 telephones from three separate premises in Vancouver. One was a former bootlegging establishment.

Cost of the long-distance calls ran up to \$8,000 a week and was paid from phony names given the telephone company for billing purposes.

\$25,000 A WEEK

Authorities believe the "salesmen" split up \$25,000 in commissions each week, representing about one-fifth of the total proceeds from the stock sales.

At \$25,000 per week, it is estimated the sales totalled \$875,000 over the gang's seven-week operation.

The salesmen told the long distance operators to tell prospective stock purchasers in the U.S. that it was "Canada Calling," without mentioning Vancouver.

This was done so the pur-

DIPLOMATS SAY RUSSIA READY FOR ARMS TALKS

PARIS (UP)—European diplomats predicted today that Moscow will accept the West's offer of an East-West foreign ministers' disarmament conference.

They believed it might develop, despite apparent U.S. objections, in a broader cold war peace parley.

Western diplomats believe the Russians hope to use such a meeting to fire off their biggest propaganda blasts. The Russians also apparently think a cold war conference can be used to slow down the West's rearming.

10-Year Average Farm Price Basis

OTTAWA (CP)—Agriculture Minister Harkness, faced with criticism inside and outside Parliament, has shuffled the government's farm price support plan to relate it specifically to a form of parity and to base its benefits on a 10-year, rather than a three-year, average.

He announced in the Commons today that his new farm bill will be amended to specify that price supports shall be set with "regard to the estimated average cost of production of the commodity, and such other factors as the governor-in-council cabinet considers to be relevant."

He said the change "will make it clear that the cost of production is the most important factor."

The measure, as introduced Saturday, provided that annual price supports could be set at the start of each year for any farm commodity, based on the average price in the preceding three years.

It also provided what the government called an "ultimate security"—that nine products should always be supported at a level at least 80 per cent of the three-year-average base price. These are cattle, hogs, sheep, butter, cheese, eggs and non-prairie wheat, oats and barley.

Mr. Harkness, making his announcement as debate opened on the principle of the bill, said

EISENHOWER ARRIVES HOME

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower returned to Washington after a week's trip to Paris, where 15 NATO allies drafted a blueprint for coping with the Communists in the missile age. He was greeted by vice-president Nixon and about 50 U.S. and foreign officials.

New Position For Sloan Gets Mixed Reaction

Appointment of Chief Justice Gordon Sloan to a \$50,000-a-year post as forests adviser to the government received a mixed reception today.

Industry and political spokesmen were unanimous on only one point—that no better man could be found for the job.

M. J. Foley, president of the Powell River Company, said the appointment "will help greatly in working out our complex forestry problems."

"I think the government is very fortunate in getting such a distinguished man to serve,"

COULD BE WORSE

But provincial Liberal leader Arthur Laing said there was no guarantee the appointment would remove politics from administration of the timber industry.

It could worsen the situation, Mr. Laing said.

"The chief justice has done valuable work for the industry because of his intelligence and his position," Mr. Laing said.

"It is a highly unusual thing

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Poll Leader Files Own Disclaimer

CAMPBELL RIVER, B.C. (CP)—R. D. Jamieson, who topped the polls at the recent civic elections, has filed a disclaimer because one of the persons nominating him did not have proper qualifications.

Mr. Jamieson said he filed the disclaimer rather than wait for disqualification.

Peter Kopp had only six months' residence qualification instead of the required 12 months.

A by-election will be held. Nominations close Dec. 30 and voting will take place if necessary in January.

Margaret's Visit Now Set July 12

Fishboat Sinks, 1 Man Missing, Another Saved

Survivor of Ordeal Making Recovery

One man is missing and another is recovering at Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges, Salt Spring Island, following the sinking of the fishboat Scot Isle in a storm Thursday night in Stuart Channel, one-half mile off shore from Salt Spring Island.

Survivor of a three-hour ordeal, of which little is known, is Alfred I. Aunli of 10625 River Road, New Westminster. He is suffering from "immersion foot" and severe shock, but at press time was reported in satisfactory condition.

According to sketchy reports given police, the 37-foot vessel capsized in stormy seas. Aunli was able to reach shore in the vessel's dinghy, but was not able to help his partner, as yet not identified by the RCMP pending notification of next of kin.

UNWITTING HOST

Aunli made his way to Vesuvius Lodge, at Vesuvius Bay, where he called Const. H. E. Bonner of the island RCMP detachment at Ganges at about 1 a.m. today. When Const. Bonner picked him up at 1.30, Cmdr. Henry Forrester, proprietor of the lodge, learned for the first time that he had sheltered the shipwrecked fisherman.

"The power at the lodge had gone off earlier in the evening, so my wife and I had retired," Cmdr. Forrester said. "Between 1 and 1.30 we were awakened by the terrific wind drumming on our television antenna."

"There was nothing we could do about it, so I went down to the kitchen to make up something to eat and drink. It was then that I saw lights on and heard a car door slam. It was Const. Bonner coming back to tell me he had the injured man and was taking him to the hospital."

BLOOD ON FLOOR

"There was blood in streaks on the floor. I suppose he had come to the lodge, found the telephone, and done everything himself. I haven't seen him yet."

The police boat stationed at Ganges set off this morning with a police crew in an effort to find the missing man, but at present he had not been located.

Aunli made his home with his brother Lars, and sister-in-law at the New Westminster address.

U.S. VANGUARD SHOT PREPARED?

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP)—Another missile launching was in prospect here today.

The nature of the test vehicle involved was unknown to watchers outside the missile test centre, from which the public is barred.

Reports persisted that the Vanguard satellite-launching rocket was being geared for another try at putting up a U.S. version of the Soviet Spatnik.



HRH PRINCESS MARGARET

Narrow Margin On NATO Issue

Macmillan Wins Commons Support Beating Labor Opposition 289 to 251

LONDON (Reuters)—The government today defeated by a vote of 289 to 251 a Labor Opposition challenge to its handling of issues raised at the Paris NATO conference.

By the vote, the House of Commons supported decisions taken by Prime Minister Macmillan and Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd at the NATO meeting in Paris—decisions which involve the basing of American-made missiles in Britain.

The prime minister told the House that these ballistic missiles—with an intermediate range able to reach targets in the Soviet Union—would only be used by the United States with British agreement.

Five Conservative rebels abstained.

They argued, as did the Socialists, that Macmillan surrendered too much of Britain's sovereignty in agreeing to the establishment of four American-supplied intermediate-range ballistic missile bases in this country.

Macmillan wound up the debate by declaring that Britain would have "a complete veto" on the use of the American missiles in this country.

Macmillan said the rebels within his party were being "a little ungenerous" in saying the United States wanted to use Europe for its own protection.

"We should not forget that during the period of trying to build up NATO, we lived for nine years under the protection of the immense air power of the United States," he said.

The Paris NATO decisions, he added, "will strengthen our position both for the defence of freedom and for the seeking of peace."

The rebels are headed by independent Conservative Lord Hinchinbrooke, who led a group of nine Conservatives out of the party a year ago in protest against the decision to withdraw following the Suez intervention.

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The prime minister also scheduled a call at Canada House for informal talks with

Princess In B.C. 2 Weeks

(See Also Page 19)

Official announcement of Princess Margaret's visit to British Columbia in the 1958 Centennial year was made here today by Premier Bennett and in Ottawa and London.

She will arrive by air direct from London on July 12, one week earlier than the date previously speculated.

She will spend two weeks in British Columbia, and afterwards will spend a further 10 days touring the rest of Canada. It has not been settled which dates she will be in Victoria.

She is making her trip to North America as a direct result of British Columbia's centennial invitation.

Premier Bennett said he is "extremely pleased" she had accepted the invitation, and stated her presence would greatly enhance the province's centennial celebrations.

NO DETAILS YET

R. A. Pennington, deputy provincial secretary, likely will be in charge of arrangements for the princess while she is in the province.

"But no details have been worked out yet. I don't even know where she will be staying," he said. A government committee probably will be struck to handle the details of the royal visit.

Burned-out Government House is unlikely to be ready for the visit, said Public Works Minister W. N. Chant.

"But we'll do our very best... within the physical limitations." If Government House is not ready, she possibly will stay in the Empress Hotel where Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross is now residing.

Among visits she is expected to make throughout B.C. is one to Nanaimo where she has been asked to cut the huge 10,000-pound centennial birthday cake being baked to mark observances.

Centennial committee chairman L. J. Wallace termed the visit "like a Christmas present."

"We have been waiting for this news for months. Now we can start making final arrangements for those events which will centre around Princess Margaret's visit."

TO SEE ALL REGIONS

He predicted the visit would be kept as informal as possible. "We want her to see all regions of the province and to get to know our people on an informal basis as royal protocol will allow."

The visit of Her Royal Highness will throw centennial year plans into high gear.

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PRAYER FOR TODAY

Now that summer is over, now that the slower days are pleasant memories, and the crisp air of autumn reminds us of the long steady pull ahead, recall to our minds, our Father, that Thou workest until now. May we take thy yoke upon us and learn of Thee, dedicating our work to Thy praise and our service as an act of spiritual worship. So shall our labor merit Thy favor and the performance of it be a partnership with Thee; in Jesus' name, Amen.

T-BRICKS FOR KOREA

Joy, Toys, Turkey--- Or Cold Despair?

In five days Victoria children will open their eyes to a Christmas of happiness and warm delight.

Korean children will waken the same morning to hopelessness and cold despair.

Christmas for them is not a day of toys and turkey. It is just another day in a long chain of days that brings a sharper hunger, a more engulfing sickness.

Happiness is almost too much to ask for Seoul's sick children.

But they can be given hope. Hope in the form of bricks to build a fine new TB outpatient's pavilion in the slum-infested centre of Seoul. Each brick we buy—and

Thursday Victorians purchased another 2,402—gives them another reason for living.

The pavilion that will rise before those children's eyes next year will give them renewed hope for three things—comfort, care and cure.

But our work is not yet completed. To meet the \$12,000 cost of the pavilion, we need 10,000 more bricks.

Will you help? Send donations to the Victoria Daily Times, Douglas Street, or The Times downtown office, Broad Street. Make cheques payable to the Unitarian Services Committee, "T-Bricks for Korea" fund. (See donors, Page 31.)

KREMLIN COMPLACENCY ROCKED

Russian Science Trailing U.S. Academy Chief Tells Deputies

MOSCOW (Reuters)—Dr. Alexander Nesmeyanov, president of the Soviet academy of science, startled Soviet deputies in the Kremlin today with a series of criticisms of Soviet science.

He told them "great efforts

are still needed to beat the United States on all scientific fronts."

Nesmeyanov, speaking at a session of the Soviet council of the union, listed these flaws in Soviet scientific development:

There were "shortcomings" in expenditure on scientific equipment;

Equipment provided for Soviet scientists was "anti-quated";

Funds for Soviet research were less than in the U.S.;

Not enough money was spent on equipping laboratories;

Work was duplicated;

Industry failed to "produce what the scientists want."

However, Nesmeyanov also pointed out that the Sputnik bore witness to the superiority of Soviet rocket techniques

and also to "great progress in the realm of mechanics, mathematics, chemistry, radio techniques and automation."

Nesmeyanov pleaded for more money for research.

CARS, TRUCKS NEEDED TO DELIVER HAMPERS

Drivers with cars, station wagons or trucks are needed for the distribution of more than 400 Christmas hampers among needy Victoria families Saturday morning and afternoon.

Volunteers are asked to get in touch with Mrs. May Campbell, chairman of the Christmas Bureau of the Community Chest at 5-6531.

The Christmas Bureau and the Surplus Food Stall have joined forces this year to assist families not looked after by other welfare agencies.



Uncle Zeke's decided the new "forestry" tree will be a good man to write about gittin' a Christmas tree.

Gittin' ahead o' th' other feller don't aifus mean gittin' ahead.

It's an ill-wind that blows no TV screens blank.



TAKES OVER

Indonesia's parliamentary speaker Sartono today was sworn in as acting president while President Sukarno is out of the country — (AP Wirephoto)

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The 27-year-old princess' first major foreign visit was in 1947 when she went to South Africa with other members of the royal family. Princess Margaret and the Queen Mother toured Southern Rhodesia in 1953 and two years later the princess visited the West Indies.

The invitation to come here was made through the provincial government.

Federal Works Minister Howard Green (Vancouver-Quadra) said "the visit will be particularly gratifying to the people of my own province British Columbia, and will make the celebration of our 100th anniversary of the foundation of B.C. very much more significant than it would otherwise be."

The princess will open centennial celebrations at Fort Langley, but no further details of her agenda are expected to be announced until after the New Year.

TOURED KENYA

Princess Margaret has frequently expressed a desire to see Canada.

Actually her last outside-England visit was last year when she made a "whistle-stop" tour of Kenya.

There is no indication her visit to B.C. will be extended to take in the United States.

Canadians now only need to see Prince Charles and Princess Anne to complete the set. The royal children are expected to visit Canada in 1959 for official opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway.

Body Recovered

PRINCETON (CP)—Two rings, a piece of jewelry and some clothing are the only clues to the identity of a woman killed in a mountain plane crash. Her body was brought down late Thursday in a howling blizzard from Mount Thynne, 40 miles northwest of here.

Died Instantly

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C. (CP)—Seven victims of a mountain landslide here Nov. 22 died instantly, RCMP Sgt. J. E. Rutan believes. He told a coroner's jury Thursday he supervised the unearthing of five bodies.

Ouster Completed For Three Unions

U.S. Labor War May Follow Final Action By AFL-CIO Officers

WASHINGTON (AP)—The reform-minded AFL-CIO acted today to complete ouster of the teamsters, laundry and bakery workers' unions from all echelons of the united labor movement.

The three unions already have been kicked out of the big federation on corruption charges.

George Meany, AFL-CIO president, and William Schnitzer, secretary-treasurer, followed up this national-level expulsion by ordering the federation's more than 650 state and local groups to act immediately to sever relations with units of the three unions.

They ordered teamster locals

expelled from state and local groups forthwith, and directed similar ouster of bakery union locals unless they affiliate within "a reasonable time" with a newly chartered reform organization, the American Bakery and Confectionery Workers International.

The orders from AFL-CIO headquarters to sever all relations with the ousted unions on state and local levels could touch off a labor war around the United States.

The ousted unions more or less have been holding fire following their recent national expulsions from the AFL-CIO.

The expulsion was on grounds their leaders are corrupt and have refused to accept federation reform directives.

The powerful teamsters union, for example, has been restraining locals from crossing picket lines of striking AFL-CIO unions to deliver materials to strikebound plants.

The AFL-CIO action directing ousters in states and cities may cause the teamsters to retaliate. President-elect James R. Hoffa has said the teamsters "never would fire the first shot in a labor civil war," but implied that the union would always be ready to return any fire.

Opening of the Vancouver office was aimed at getting around these orders.

STUMBLING ON IT

B.C. authorities stumbled upon the swindle by accident. Provincial superintendent of brokers, Stewart Smith, recognized a known eastern Canadian stock racketeer in a Vancouver hotel lobby earlier this month.

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STOCK

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chaser would have no clue to the location of the ring.

The fact they were operating from the Pacific Coast, making sales in the East, was designed to throw securities officials in both the U.S. and Canada off the track.

TO HALIFAX

Victims of the swindlers were told to send payments to the Halifax firm, which forwarded commissions to the men in Vancouver.

The federal Securities and Exchange Commission in the U.S. had told the Halifax firm to "cease and desist" from the sale of Canadian Alumina Stock in the U.S. Other state securities officials had taken similar action.

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SLOAN

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for a member of the Bench, and particularly a chief justice; to return to business in any form," the Liberal leader said.

"He will no longer be blessed by neutrality in his new post," CCF Leader Robert Strachan said he approved the appointment of Chief Justice Sloan, but did not approve of the government's methods.

"We welcome a continual examination of the forest industry and its problems," the opposition leader said, "but we must protest the devious method which the government has used to provide the machinery for such examination."

Mr. Strachan said the position of a forest commissioner should be set up only under the Forest Act, not the Public Inquiries Act used by the government.

Under the Forest Act, the appointment would be the right of the legislature to decide.

Mr. Strachan said the government had thrown the Sloan forestry report back at the chief justice and told him: "Now that you have written this report, tell us what to do with it."

HE'S THE MAN

The CCF leader added: "If any man can do this job, Chief Justice Gordon Sloan is that man."

David Sturdy, whose allegations before Chief Justice Sloan's forestry commission launched the Sommers bribery conspiracy case, said the appointment was "purely political."

"The creation of this new office is entirely unnecessary and in my opinion was effected for the purpose of enabling the government to answer its critics at the next election, who will say that forestry has not been properly administered in the last five years," Mr. Sturdy said.

"All that is needed is a capable minister of forests. I think Mr. Bennett's motives are purely political."

"At the same time they are costly."

Ralph M. Shaw, president of MacMillan & Bloedel Ltd., said: "I think it is a good idea. The chief justice is well suited to the task. He is a man of great capability and wide experience, and we heartily approve."

Mr. Shaw noted that his company had been thinking in the same direction for several years. Appearing before the forestry commission in November, 1955, it had actually proposed the chief justice might head up an advisory board.

B.C. DOCTORS TO APPEAL TAX RULING

VANCOUVER (CP)—British Columbia eye specialists will appeal the decision of the income tax board on alleged prescription kickbacks to the Exchequer Court of Canada.

Vancouver lawyer J. L. Lawrence said Thursday the appeal will be led by Senator J. B. De B. Farris, probably when the Exchequer Court sits here in March.

The new appeal follows the income tax appeal board's rejection of the claim of 22 Vancouver and Victoria eye specialists that money they received from an optical company was not subject to tax.

Defendants Drop Injunction Suit In Sommers Case

VANCOUVER (CP)—An injunction suit started Dec. 12 by four defendants in the Sommers conspiracy case was discontinued Thursday.

The suit by H. Wilson Gray, John M. Gray, Pacific Coast Services Ltd. and Evergreen Lumber Sales Ltd. was against the Canadian Bank of Commerce to prevent examination of bank records under search warrant.

A bribery conspiracy charge is pending in Vancouver police court against the Gray brothers, former forests minister Robert Sommers and C. D. Schultz.

Weather-Bound

Investigation of an oil slick near Big Zero Rock has been called off by the Search and Rescue centre due to high seas.

The slick may be evidence of the fate of the missing light plane piloted by Abbotsford lawyer, H. T. Fitzsimmons, who disappeared on a flight from Langley to Patricia Bay.

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New York Threatened Total Transport Strike

NEW YORK (AP)—Michael J. Quill, president of the Transport Workers' Union, has threatened a total shutdown of all subway and bus service in New York City New Year's Eve.

Quill made the threat Thursday after the city transit authority balked at negotiating a new contract with the TWU.

The current agreements between the union and the authority and eight privately owned bus companies expires at midnight Dec. 31.

The transit authority said it cannot negotiate a new contract with the TWU until it gets clarification from state legislative leaders on the status of such a contract.

Behind the squabble is an assurance the state leaders gave the striking independent Motorists' Benevolent Association in ending an eight-day subway walkout last Monday.

The state leaders promised to introduce and speed a bill to strip the transit authority of its right to designate bargaining units.

The MBA is contesting the TWU's right to represent the subway system's 3,167 motor-men.

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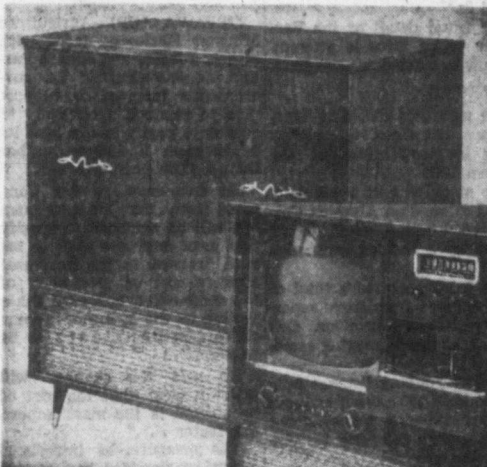
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Accused and Firm Paid Money Linked in \$80,000 Theft Trial

VANCOUVER (CP)—An accountant charged with forgery and theft of nearly \$80,000 from the British Columbia Electric Company was linked to the firm to which the money was paid, a witness said Thursday.

The accused, William F. Blair, 37, of North Vancouver was identified by Cloverdale postmaster Kenneth A. Patterson as the man who rented a post office box Dec. 3, 1956, in the name of Hallmark and Associates.

Patterson said he remembered Blair because he closely resembled a Cloverdale garage operator.

Blair, a cost control supervisor with B.C. Engineering—which like the B.C. Electric, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the B.C. Power Corporation—elected trial by judge and jury when he appeared in police court.

Blair is charged with the theft of \$59,454.04 from the BCE and with forgery by making a false document, a declaration of partnership in the name of Hallmark and Associates.

Geoffrey L. Haszard, general purchasing agent for the BCE, said he had never authorized the purchase of 975 hundred-weight of rolled steel plates for the company's Cheakamus power station project.

Shown a cheque for \$24,625, he said this worked out to 16.8 cents a pound and would be "premium steel." Some premium steel was used on the project but it was brought to Vancouver from two U.S. steel mills, fabricated and taken to the site as pipe.

Mr. Haszard said he was equally sure the BCE did not receive three of four car loads of reconditioned reinforcing bars.

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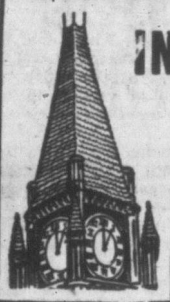
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IN PARLIAMENT

Gov't Reveals Plans To Aid Unemployment

(From Times News Services)

Welfare Minister J. Waldo Monteith said Thursday he hopes all provinces will accept more than \$20,000,000 the federal government is offering for unemployed relief.

He said Ontario is expected to sign an agreement whereby the federal and provincial governments would share, on a 50-50 basis, the cost of unemployment assistance.

He was hopeful that three other provinces—Quebec, Nova Scotia and Alberta—also would sign agreements, joining the six that have entered into pacts with the federal government.

Mr. Monteith spoke as the House debated a preliminary resolution outlining government legislation eliminating the so-called .45-per-cent "threshold," beyond which federal unemployment assistance does not go. Later, a bill to this effect was introduced and given second

reading—approval in principle. At present, the provinces are solely responsible for relief where unemployment totals .45 per cent or less of their population, the federal government sharing the cost of assistance to the unemployed in excess of the threshold. Under the proposed legislation, the federal government would share in all relief costs.

Under present agreements with six provinces—Newfoundland, Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick, Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia—Ottawa paid out about \$5,112,000 in the 1956-57 fiscal year ended last March 31.

Under Criticism From Liberals

Mr. Monteith, replying to criticisms by two former Liberal cabinet ministers, Lionel Chevrier (Montreal Laurier) and J. W. Pickersgill (Bonaville-Twillingate), said he cannot understand their attitude that removal of the threshold is an invasion of provincial rights.

Mr. Monteith said it no more invades provincial rights than other social welfare legislation enacted under Liberal governments.

The CCF group, led by deputy leader Stanley Knowles, criticized the government for not taking over complete responsibility for relief costs. Since the central government was responsible for the general economic health of the country, it also should be wholly responsible for unemployment charges.

Mr. Knowles said the bill is "a poor substitute" for improved federal-provincial fiscal arrangements the Conservatives had promised during the election campaign.

The Conservatives, when in opposition, had contended that the federal government should pay all relief costs. Yet they still were offering to pay only half.

Meantime, Resources Minister Alvin Hamilton, and Justice

Minister Davie Fulton, acting external affairs minister, announced government plans pointing to an over-all federal scheme to help combat unemployment, higher this winter than usual.

Mr. Hamilton disclosed the government's intention of speeding up national parks projects such as cutting and clearing of highways and trails, construction of bungalow camps and repairs to buildings and equipment to provide some 1,500 new jobs. He hoped these would begin by Jan. 15 and last throughout the winter.

Mr. Fulton outlined plans to speed Canadian aid to South and Southeast Asia through contribution this year of about \$34,000,000 through the Colombo Plan.

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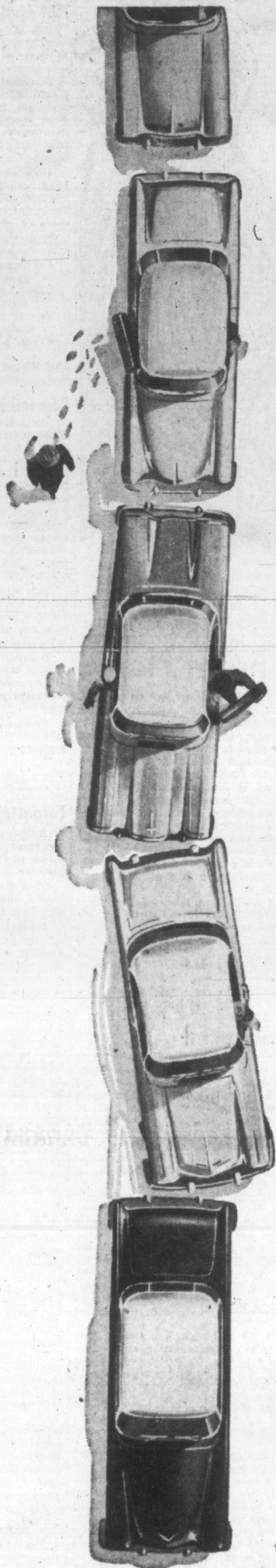
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The Man for the Forest Job

THE APPOINTMENT OF THE Hon. Gordon Sloan as advisor to the Government on forest matters is a major step toward lifting British Columbia's forest resources out of politics.

The terms under which the Chief Justice leaves the judiciary to accept his new duties generally implement his own recommendation in the most recent Sloan report.

The advisor is still responsible to the minister of lands and forests, but with authority—including that of a continuing royal commissioner—even more sweeping than he had suggested.

This is not quite the independent forest commission recommended in the first Sloan report. It appears to be almost exactly what he had in mind when in his second report the Chief Justice abandoned the principle of divorcing forestry affairs entirely from the Government.

Having made the appointment, it is to be assumed the Government will give effect to the plan drafted by Mr. Sloan in his most recent list of recommendations.

The Government has acted wisely. It could have found no better man to re-establish confidence in a forestry administration that has been a source of deep dissatisfaction in recent years.

Mr. Sloan brings to his tasks not only exceptional qualities of mind

and broad judicial capacities, but a knowledge and experience in matters of forest policy that are unique.

His exhaustive inquiries into all facets of forest matters have given him an understanding which no expert in any one specialized field could hope to attain. He can see the picture as a whole. He can bring judgment to bear on less on technical questions than on the subjects of British Columbia's forest conservation, processing and the all-important economic factors.

When he wrote his 1936 report, Mr. Sloan defined the type of man most suited to head an effective advisory board outside the British Columbia Forest Service.

His qualifications, wrote the commissioner, "should be that he is a man of sound judgment and integrity with an impartial and objective personality; the ability to translate individuals into a homogeneous group, and the initiative and 'drive' to see that the important advisory agencies do not exist only on paper."

The Government has evidently studied that definition, looked around for the person most ideally suited to it and chosen its author.

The appointment, though occasioning a serious loss to the judiciary, will be applauded throughout the province. It bespeaks significant forest policy development further removed from what the Chief Justice in 1944-45 called "trammelling influences—political or otherwise."

Opening the Way

THE NET ACHIEVEMENT OF the NATO conference in Paris was limited, but as much as had been expected. The two chief decisions—at least of those so far made public—were to arm the United States' European allies with atomic warheads and missiles and to encourage high level negotiations between NATO members and Russia with a view to finding areas of agreement.

The missile armament proposal was accepted in principle rather than in specific agreements, but actual locations are expected to be arranged before the missiles themselves are available, probably early in 1959.

The old NATO shield for western Europe is thus given a new form. But it will be seen that, like the conventional ground forces which have never yet been brought up to strength, the missile armament is also largely on paper.

The missile bases when completed are designed to establish the front-line deterrent to aggression that the original NATO forces in Europe were organized to provide. It is to be noted that this week's conference apparently made no plans to strengthen the existing conventional NATO forces even though there will be a delay of more than a year in putting missiles in position. The threat of war, despite Russia's great advances in scientific armaments, is presumably not held to be imminent.

A rising from this situation was the second decision—to investigate the possibilities of meeting Soviet representatives in order to reach

understanding on matters affecting world peace. This was a European move, concurred in by the United States but without much enthusiasm.

It marks a change from the policy of co-existence as silent armed camps which the U.S. has maintained in the face of numerous Russian offers to negotiate.

But that policy was largely the result of constant frustrations and deceptions encountered in efforts to arrive at agreement with Russia on disarmament and other vital questions. All too often Soviet offers have been made only for their propagandic value, and with no intention of achieving progress.

The new policy arises from the belief of many countries, including Canada, that no possibility should be overlooked in the search for world peace, and that Western refusal to negotiate any given proposal constitutes, in a measure, a diplomatic victory for Moscow.

These decisions, vague as they are at the moment, were made against a background of mounting emergency in world affairs. It is difficult to determine from the optimistic phrases of the Paris communiqués whether or not the summit delegates are seized with the urgency of the situation and the paramount need for unity in the face of recent developments. Obviously they must be—the communiqués, like most official releases, leave unsaid more than they say.

But the NATO conference can be considered only a stepping stone to something more concrete. Too often in recent years words have taken the place of action.

A Case of Charter Nerves?

THE CITY COUNCIL HAS BEEN warned to expect resistance when it applies to the Legislature at next month's session for a special charter.

It is to be hoped that this warning reflects excessive caution only. Victoria, as the capital and as the second largest city in the province, has distinctive claims for consideration.

If the argument is raised that the new and faulty Municipal Act was drafted to cover as many local administrations as possible, Victoria's case is not prejudiced. Precedent for a charter already exists, Vancouver still operates under one.

Moreover the capital has specific problems and concerns not found in other municipalities of British

Columbia. No clearer proof is needed than the cavalier manner in which the Union of British Columbia Municipalities handled certain Victoria resolutions at its last convention.

There is every reason for the city to expect considerate treatment when it makes its request.

Undoubtedly the application will be supported by Victoria M.L.A. George Gregory, whose proper responsiveness to the people he represents has been adequately proved. It should receive similar backing from the two Social Credit members, one of whom is a minister. And since the Government, by special grants, has recognized distinctions between the capital and other communities, it seems not too much to hope for approval of a charter.

The Burns' Stamp

TO WESTERN CANADIANS, forever in debt to the Scots who opened up their country, the decision of the British Post Office must seem a little unkind.

The Post Office has refused approval for a Robert Burns' stamp to commemorate the 200th anniversary of the Bard's birth. The Queen, the authorities state, shares stamp portraits only with others of the Royal House.

It would be a gracious gesture for Canada to print a Burns' stamp, but we make the suggestion with certain misgivings. Some Canadian stamps, including one portraying the Queen, have been anything but flattering.

At all events, Burns' admirers might consider the Post Office issue redundant. Robert Burns placed his stamp on British letters a long time ago. It is still there.

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MISSION ACCOMPLISHED

By B. A. TOBIN

The Home Away From Home

ONE of the best advertisements, businessmen say, is a satisfied customer. There's no certificate of approval like a bill of sale. A customer who really wants to give a ring of sincerity to his words of praise will prove it with the ring of the cash register. A tourist who comes back to the hotel a second time, a visitor who returns, for another meal at the restaurant, shows in the clearest way possible what he thinks of the establishment.



Tobin

With that in mind, I think it says a lot for the SPCA shelter over on Wilson Street that dogs who have been guests there for a while often find their way back, once they've been taken away, and try to get into their old quarters again. If that's not customer approval, I don't know what is.

But it isn't only former guests that find their own way to the shelter. Inspector Len Page and Cliff Ladd, who treat the dogs in their care as though they were their own personal pets, will tell you that often a strange dog with a sore paw or otherwise injured limps up to lie on the shelter's door step, knowing in some mysterious way that this is the place to come for help.

How does the word get around? Does one dog tell another, or do dogs just know?

The Patient Ones

Cliff Ladd holds that dogs are just like humans except that they can't talk. I suppose every dog owner has a story or two to bear that out. Dogs would have to have a good many human traits in order to stand humans.

I visited the shelter the other day for the first time. It's one of the agencies the Community Chest helps and it's quite an impressive little establishment. This is where many a lost dog turns up—there'll be lots more soon when the shelter takes over the work of the city pound—but don't tell your dog too much

about it or he may get lost on purpose.

He'll get a warm compartment for his exclusive use, with a wired front door looking out on a corridor and a back door leading to his private open-air run. He'll get food and a little red tag with a number on it, and he'll get his ears scratched or his head patted any time Len or Cliff come by his door. That's more than lots of dogs get at home.

I had gone over to pick up a little Labrador pup, coal black with a couple of white paws, that the SPCA had kindly offered for a couple of youngsters who were threatened with a giftless Christmas.

The SPCA can take off the white whiskers now; its Santa Claus act was a complete success.

Putting a four-year-old boy face to face with a four-month-old pup for the first time is something like throwing two unknown chemicals into a test-tube and waiting to see what happens. No nuclear scientist could get better results than this experiment achieved.

A Plus B

The pup, set on the floor, began to dance as though she were a bundle of coiled springs. She was so bouncy she seemed to be trying to get back down to the floor rather than hopping off it.

The youngster gave one unbelieving look and held out his arms. The pup scampered into them, a writhing black ball with a long pink tongue that tickled the boy's face and set him laughing in sheer ecstasy.

Then dog and boy toppled over backwards in a scrabble of arms and legs, watched in wide-eyed astonishment by a younger sister.

"Thank you, oh thank you," the youngster cried when he could get his breath and he didn't have to be prompted. I pass his words on as a Christmas message to the boys at the shelter, and to two good ladies of this city who offered generous help.

The chemicals had reacted. The atoms had fused in a more or less controlled explosion. A little boy had found a friend and a pup had found a home.

A Dim View of Humor

From The Toronto Telegram

A COMEDIAN'S lot, Jack Benny once said, is not a happy one. It's tough pleasing an audience anywhere, but in East Germany comedians have it really rough. They have to please not only audiences but commissars.

Recently a comedian in East Berlin quipped a la Bob Hope, "I'm going to trade my police dog for a small dachshund because I'm moving into one of the new government-built apartments."

A mild joke, but in East Berlin it strikes home. The new state-built flats are so small that they can be classed as large kennels. Residents of the flats loved the joke, but the commissars were not amused. From them it drew an official rebuke and started an investigation

into the type of humor being dispensed in music halls and theatres.

The investigation produced the information that (of all things!) Communism is the butt of music hall humor. Such a smudge on the Communist escutcheon was too much for the officials, and they proceeded to put a ban on Communism as a fit subject for a comic's routine.

From now on, the Red rulers ruled, only "Socialist entertainment" will be permitted and humor will be directed only on the Western world.

So it looks as though poor Mr. Dulles, who is already coming in for more than his share at the hands of Western comedians, will be getting a double dose from Iron Curtain comics.

DENNIS THE MENACE



From Our Files

Dec. 20, 1897 —

Thirteen of the missing men from the wrecked steamer Cleveland have been found, one of them dead. Parts of a smashed lifeboat have also been found at Ucluelet. Another boat with nine aboard is missing.

Dec. 20, 1917 —

Toronto: Latest Victory Loan returns show a total of 782,714 subscribers, one subscriber for every ten people in Canada. This establishes a new Commonwealth record in proportion to population.

Dec. 20, 1937 —

Munich: General Erich Ludendorff, German Great War commander, died today. He was 72.

As Our Readers See It

Not Understood

Did Mr. Bruce Hutchison, when he wrote the "Wicked Headlines" in Dec. 10 issue of the Times, fail to realize that civilization is passing through one of its periods of change, radical change? Was his attitude one of supercilious glee when the following was written: "The leers of delight spread in black headlines across the front pages of London were not merely insane, they were obscene."

His observations and comments might have been considerably modified, if he had been fortunate enough to have read Thos. Bracken's "Not Understood." One verse of which follows:

"Not Understood. Poor souls with stunted visions,
Oft measure giants by their narrow gauge.
The poisoned shafts of falsehood and derision
Are oft impelled 'gainst those who mould the age."
(Thos. Bracken is a New Zealander.)
S. SMITH.

1408 Walnut Street.

Remember the Sabbath?

There are times when I wonder what is the matter with us, when, for instance, in a 15-minute walk from attending a church on Sunday I saw, approximately between 12.30 (noon) and 12.45 when I arrived home the following: Two men working in full view, one hammering, and another painting (on a new building); two other men, with a partially empty drum, evidently trying to remove something; further along, a furniture moving van, engaged in usual activity, others erecting TV sets.

This fifteen minute experience could be experienced every Sunday. Here in Victoria, this lack of observing the Sabbath Day seriously detracts from a true sense of Canada's growth and birthright.

I would ask, whose duty is it to prevent this using of the "Day of Rest" as just another work day to many, with the extra advantage to them of double pay?

Furthermore, is the Lord's Day Act still in force or just mislaid from neglect?

HARRY WYER.

1170 Chapman Street.

Forgotten Theme?

A little over a year ago the world was awakened by strange new music, "The March of the Freedom Fighters of Hungary."

Then just over a year later like most popular tunes that people quickly tire of, the world cast it aside and forgot.

Hungarians came to this great country as guests of the Canadian Government and they were promised work. No doubt the intention of our minister of immigration was good but, the road to Hell is paved with good intentions.

And so while I cannot condone the actions of Laszlo Papp and Adam Miskel—the blame surely lies with the minister of immigration who made it possible for them to come to this country with promises of work, and then to be told later by the immigration department in Victoria that they were unable to do anything for them.

FROM PARIS

By JOSEPH ALSOP

Eisenhower at NATO

THERE was something stirring and there was something tragic too in the President's effort to breathe his own simple faith into the pompous NATO conference of chiefs of state. His very presence at the conference table was an act of courage. No one in the huge, ugly, garishly lighted room could forget that this man had just suffered a mild stroke, after two other terrible illnesses in the past two years. Not a few at the round conference table also knew that he had all but defied his doctors to come to Paris, in effect decreeing that he would come unless the doctors held him incapable of all his heavy duties, and leaving them to issue what statement they chose.



Alsop

The day before, there had been the arrival in the bitter cold, the graceful airport speech that warmed French hearts, and the long ride into the city with the President standing up in the open car, turning on his full glow for the waiting crowds.

And now here they were, all the chiefs of the NATO states save only Salazar of Portugal—mustached, amiable old Josef Bech of Luxembourg who looks and is a survivor from the forgotten era of Aristide Briand; France's improbably youthful Felix Gaillard; the German Chancellor with his air of a durable snapping turtle and all the rest.

TV Priority

Physically, the assembled statesmen were more than a little diminished by their setting, a graceless chamber like a large lecture hall in which everything had been sacrificed to the requirements of television.

They were there, in the most literal sense, for the look of the thing, using time badly needed for grave decisions to make a public parade of their reunion. Yet even on so essentially formal an occasion, one could not help reflecting on the immense burden of human hopes and fears carried by these men.

Above all, one could not help reflecting on the President's burden. This first meeting of NATO chiefs of state was his own project, after all, sponsored by him much against the will of his cold, canny Secretary of State.

Only the night before Secretary Dulles had pallidly warned the American press to expect no great achievements at this extraordinary gathering which must achieve great things or be remembered as a sorry failure.

Could the President then somehow recreate Western unity and strength out of disunity and weakness, against all expectations? Was he, to put it bluntly, really up to the task?

By writing this letter I hope that the attention of all good Canadians will be drawn to the plight of these two unfortunate men who in very truth are our guests however unwelcome they may have become.

Freedom is a commodity of the bargain basement until it is "rationed." Then, in order to get a share, people fight and die in their thousands.

PHYLLIS LEECE.

3176 Glasgow Street.

Grateful

May we, through the medium of your paper, publicly thank the many kind people in Victoria and surrounding area who helped our organizations during the past year, particularly those who provide the entertainment at various times. We would like to make special mention at this time of the Christmas dinner held Saturday, Dec. 14, when through the generosity of friends we enjoyed a wonderful Xmas party. The entertainment provided by Pierre and Grace Timp and the First Baptist Church Choir under the leadership of Mrs. Vera Barclay was a glorious entrance into the Christmas season.

(MISS) E. S. MCGILLIVRAY.
The Multiple Sclerosis Society
and League of the Handicapped

Delectable Reading

The Times of Dec. 10—page 4—made the most delectable reading of many a day.

In the "Storm Cellar" we shivered and shuddered at the complications in the market place of the world. In "Loose Ends" we covered our faces with shame, and threw ashes over our heads, at the base and vulgar ingratitude of the British—through the channels of the fourth estate—or at least a part of it: The British! A people who have that one greatest gift in all the world—the power to laugh at themselves through their deepest distress.

Then we searched the world with Alsop, who claims "Only new man can do it"; and how right he is; but it must be "free" men. His country's Secretary of State has a most bewildering time carrying out the work of his counsellors—who are they?

At times it would seem that the long, long shadow of the almost forgotten past—politically—is obscuring the right and power of their President in favor of a Secretary of State to carry out the (partly) hidden "Great Design."

ELLEN HART.

Chipperfield, East Sooke, B.C.

Thanks

I wish to thank most sincerely all the people of the municipality of Saanich who supported me in the past election.

I was privileged to be able to provide them with an alternate vote on this most important office. The closeness of the ballot was gratifying as well as revealing.

With the compliments of the season to all, and again wishing the new Saanich council good luck and good administration during 1958.

COUNCILLOR

EUGENE DIESPECKER.
1170 Camrose Crescent.

By JOSEPH ALSOP

Eisenhower at NATO

For one seeing him for the first time in a long and cruel year, his appearance was a little shocking. Under the bright lights his ruddy complexion saved him from looking as ghostly as the pale Prime Minister Macmillan. Yet the flesh of the cheeks and neck have fallen away, giving a new, strange emphasis to the high dome of the skull.

And the old erectness had gone, too—until it was his turn to speak, Eisenhower sat as old men sit, asking no effort of the muscles to support the frame.

Yet when Luxembourg's Bech and France's Gaillard had made their neat and graceful opening speeches, as conventionalized as the movements in a ritual, there was a sudden change in this Eisenhower whom both had singled out to welcome as the acknowledged leader of the West.

Impressive Vigor

He straightened. He seemed to gather his forces. He gave his thanks for the welcome with an engaging, friendly ease. And he continued into his set speech with an impressive and determined vigor.

There were those who thought they noticed signs of the President's recent illness in his articulation, but to this reporter there seemed nothing abnormal in his manner of speaking, which has never been very clear.

There was the same old extraordinary power, too, the power central to the power of the man himself, to make the great, basic, platitudinous truths about freedom and decency and human dignity sound like truths newly discovered of burning, immediate import.

But this unhappily was not what was wanted—and here was the occasion's innate tragedy. None present in the room needed to be instructed in the enduring value, the power and creative force of human dignity and freedom.

No Such Answer

They were meeting anxiously together for the very reason that these incomparably precious things were now in danger. How to avoid the danger—that was the question the leader of the West was expected to answer, and to answer not only boldly but even in some detail.

But there was no such answer, beyond a passing reference to those now-troubled subjects, atomic warheads and guided missiles, which only recalled the differences that these subjects have evoked. So the speech ended, with the plea to "press on to that peace, in freedom, which is our rightful heritage."

Prime Minister Macmillan and NATO Secretary Spaak turned to the President in smiling congratulation. But Western strength and Western unity had not been recreated. Nothing really had happened beyond another television show with the most grandiose cast the Western Alliance could provide.

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12-YEAR-OLD 'DEAD-EYE' WINS TURKEYS

CHEMAINUS—A 12-year-old Duncan boy, B. Bradshaw, had veteran sharpshooters talking to themselves at the second Kinsmen shoot Sunday at the gravel pit.

Shooting on the 100-yard large-bore rifle range, he won three turkeys in a row.

Thirty-one turkeys and 16 hams were won during the day. Final shoot will be held Sunday, Dec. 22.

Extra Sailings Dec. 24, 26 From Nanaimo

British Columbia Coast Steamships has announced extra services between the mainland and Vancouver Island for the Christmas holiday period.

The Princess of Nanaimo will provide an extra sailing on Dec. 24 and 26, leaving Vancouver at 9 p.m., and leaving Nanaimo at 11:30 p.m.

Regular sailings of the Princess of Alberni between Dec. 24 and 31, serving the west coast of Vancouver Island, have been cancelled. During this period and the first part of Jan., the vessel will make two trips, leaving Victoria at 4 p.m., Dec. 27, and Jan. 7. The Alberni will resume regular schedules Jan. 14.

RCMP Transfer Protested By Parksville

PARKSVILLE—An RCMP plan to transfer two constables from here, leaving the community without a resident policeman, is being protested by Parksville and District Chamber of Commerce.

Messages have been sent to Tom Barnett, Comox-Alberni MP; Dan Campbell, Comox MLA; Attorney-General Robert Bonner and RCMP officials in Victoria and Ottawa.

Village commission has offered to build an addition to the municipal office as RCMP headquarters, and local residents have offered property if a separate building is required.

RCMP plans to transfer Const. Roy Woodfin from here to Campbell River and Const. Al Brannett, police dogmaster, to Qualicum Beach.

Chamber officials say the scheme is unwarranted in view of the steady increase in population here.

Trustees Protest Convention

NANAIMO (CP)—Nanaimo school board has decided to propose that a more suitable community than Kamloops be chosen for the 1958 B.C. School Trustees Association convention.

Members of the board said lack of hotel accommodation in Kamloops would make it necessary to billet many delegates in private homes and lack of adequate public transportation would make it difficult for delegates to get from their sleeping quarters to the conference.

The board also recommended that the organization hold its conventions at more suitable times.

Five Perish As Heat Wave Hits Sydney

SYDNEY, Australia (Reuters)—Sydney was hit today by a heat wave but Christmas shoppers still packed searing city streets. Five persons collapsed and died and 70 cases of heat exhaustion were reported.

Temperatures rose to 108 degrees, giving the city its hottest day for 19 years and the third highest recorded.

Many workers stopped work, the evening shifts for longshoremen were called off and firemen fought scores of scrub fires throughout Sydney suburbs.



TWIN PEAKS of Ripple Rock lie under white water visible in southern end of Seymour Narrows, main marine thoroughfare 10 miles north of Campbell River. Causeway connects camp

in centre foreground with tiny Maud Island, at left, where shaft and head rig are located. Menzies Bay is at upper left.

'Countdown' Set For Early April At Ripple Rock

CAMPBELL RIVER, B.C. (CP)—A \$3,000,000 engineering project will be blasted skyward in early April in an all-out effort to eliminate one of Canada's worst marine hazards.

It is hoped the explosion will signal the end of Ripple Rock, a treacherous, twin-peaked submarine menace in Seymour Narrows, 10 miles north of here, which has claimed 114 lives in marine disasters.

The project was undertaken by the federal government early in 1956 in a "cost be damned" attempt to rid the British Columbia coast of a hazard that has destroyed or heavily damaged at least 16 ships since 1875.

The explosion, expected to be one of the strongest non-nuclear blasts ever touched off in North America, will destroy an intricate network of tunnels to get at the rock. Since 1943 two attempts to destroy the rock have been unsuccessful and finally the federal government decided that underground tunnelling

was the best way to tackle the job.

Ripple Rock is in the southern entrance of the narrows, a body of water two miles long and about a half-mile wide, with Vancouver Island to the west and Quadra and Maud Islands to the east. The rock's south peak is within 10 feet of the surface at low tide, the north peak within 20 feet.

The protected channel provided by the narrows cuts hundreds of miles off the open-sea distance between northern and southern Pacific coast ports.

But to use it at any other time than the two daily slack-water periods—perhaps a total of 80 minutes—means that skippers have to judge and compensate for tides that swirl through the channel as fast as 17 miles an hour.

He Tunnelled at Gibraltar

Col. Cyrus B. North of Vancouver, best known for his Second World War work at Gibraltar, is in charge of the project. Col. North was commanding officer of the 2nd Canadian Tunnelling Company, RCE, in 1941 and 1942 and his job was to extend and expand Gibraltar fortifications and galleries to two or three times their previous limits.

His superintendent at Ripple Rock is Jack Buchanan. Between them they supervise about 70 men through three shifts daily, working for the Northern Construction Company and J. W. Stewart Limited of Vancouver, the contractors. Boyles Brothers Limited, Vancouver, is doing the diamond drilling.

Tunnelling started when a 500-foot shaft was dropped straight down from the top of Maud Island.

Vancouver Will Hear Blast

The single explosion will probably be heard in Vancouver, 85 miles south.

Seismographs will be set up as far east as Calgary as part of Canada's contribution to the International Geophysical Year. Scientists hope the blast will prove or disprove the theory that mountains are like icebergs, with two-thirds of their bulk hidden away beneath the surface of the earth.

Authorities estimate that the blast produced by the 750 tons of explosive will break closed windows 25 miles away. It is hoped that 65,000 tons of rock will be blown from the two peaks, lowering them 30-40 feet. Thousands of fish will be killed by the shock wave and wildlife for miles around will be stampeded.

The blast will be fired from a bunker on Quadra Island, about 2,500 feet from the north peak of the rock.

Attempts to blast Ripple Rock from the top have been defeated by the heavy tides. The attempts involved the construc-

DEEP-SEA SHIPS IN PORT

Victoria—Thalassaporos, Fl. Leigh, Nichirei Maru.
Nanaimo—Irish Maple.
Tahsis—Silverdene, Taiten Maru.
Alberni—Aggesborg.

M & B Shutdown Set for Tuesday At Chemainus

CHEMAINUS—MacMillan & Bloedel Ltd., Chemainus division, will close down Tuesday for the Christmas holiday, the last shift working from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The sawmill will resume normal operations Dec. 27, and the last shift to operate Dec. 31 will be the 7:30 a.m.

Nanaimo River and Copper Canyon camps shut down today. A definite date to resume operations is not known at present.

School Borrowing Proposal Protested

NANAIMO—Nanaimo School Board has protested a recommendation from the education department that it borrow from the bank to cover the department's portion of shareable capital costs for November, amounting to \$36,219.

"Why should we shoulder part of the provincial debt and have to pay interest on it?" asked Ted Barsby, school board chairman.

DONE BEFORE

(According to a department spokesman, such payments often are delayed temporarily while the department awaits a

Pedestrian Death Ruled Accidental

NANAIMO—Death of Alexander Thomas, 79, in a highway mishap Dec. 12 at Wellington, five miles north of Nanaimo, was declared accidental at an inquest here Thursday.

Thomas was walking on the highway near Long Lake when he was struck by a car driven by Howard Anthony Dare of Courtenay. Mr. Dare was absolved of all blame in the accident.

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Automatic Phones For Gabriola Is.

NANAIMO—Gabriola Island will have its own automatic telephone system next year.

This has been announced by Lionel A. Huxtable, commercial manager for B.C. Telephone Company at Nanaimo.

Mr. Huxtable said that there are 45 subscribers on the island, served on long lines via submarine cable out of Nanaimo central office. The lines are filled to capacity now, and in order to improve service and make way for future growth, a new exchange is planned.

Under the planned arrangement, which will come into effect in the fall of next year, automatic equipment will be located on the island, and operator service and long distance will be handled from the Nanaimo switchboard. Local calls, of course, will be dialed.

Trustee Wants Board Offices At Saanichton

SIDNEY—Trustees of Saanich School District 63 will study a suggestion from Trustee Reginald Sinkinson that Saanichton be chosen as the site for the board's proposed new office building.

Mr. Sinkinson, chairman of the board office committee, recommended construction of a building of 1,400 square feet, to include a board room of 400 square feet. The present building here is inadequate and in poor condition, he said.

WORKSHOP

The board also is considering construction of a workshop, preferably close to the office. The shop in the basement of the old Royal Oak School is ill-lighted, too small, and poorly located, according to the office committee.

Construction of two separate buildings would have the advantages of keeping the office quiet, reducing the first hazard, and making possible a cheaper type of construction.

Sum of \$18,000 is available for the workshop, Mr. Sinkinson said.

ISLAND DIGEST

6 Victoria Daily Times
FRIDAY, DEC. 20, 1957

**Free Show, Party
For Chemainus Youth**
CHEMAINUS — Chemainus sub-local of the IWA will be host to youngsters of the district under 12 years at a show and party in the Willow Theatre Saturday at 2.

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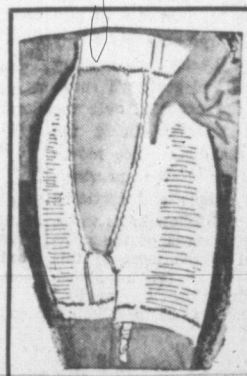
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Hung Jury Frees Teamster Hoffa

NEW YORK (AP)—The wire-tap conspiracy trial of James R. Hoffa, president-elect of the Teamsters' Union, and two others ended today in a hung jury. The panel of seven men and five women reported a hopeless deadlock, 11 to 1 for conviction.

MEAT CLEAVER SCARES OFF HOLDUP MAN

OTTAWA (CP)—"Hand over all the money in the till," a man said to Walter Klimpel who was alone Thursday night in his delicatessen shop in south-central Ottawa.

Klompel said, "Just a minute." Then he walked to the rear of the store where he picked up a meat cleaver, and replied: "If you touch a cent I'll take your head off."

The man, who had been making threatening gestures with a hand in his overcoat pocket, fled.

Police later picked up Frank Lariviere, 29, Ottawa, who was charged with attempted holdup.

United States Attorney Paul W. Williams told reporters: "There certainly will be another hearing of this case and I shall try to have it brought to trial at the earliest practicable time."

HOFFA PLEASED

Highly elated at the deadlock, Hoffa shook hands with his lawyer, Sol Gelb, and raced from the courtroom to phone his wife, Josephine, in Detroit.

Jury foreman, Mrs. Lillian Doren, a Park Avenue receptionist, singled out juror Earle T. MacHardy as the lone hold-out against conviction.

MacHardy said he was attempting to resolve certain questions involving circumstantial evidence.

"I don't think the government proved beyond a reasonable doubt that a conspiracy existed," he said.



RETURNS MONEY—Peter Kaczer, an unemployed Hungarian immigrant, returned \$4,770 given him in mistake by a Toronto grocery store. Kaczer entered the store to buy buns, was given instead a paper bag containing the money. Finding the money next morning, he returned it. (CP photo.)

New Weapon Replacing Switchblade

NEW YORK (AP)—Teen-aged hoodlums, through a loophole in the law, are openly buying a new deadly weapon—a "gravity" knife that whips out at a flick of the wrist.

Police thought they had at least put a check on vicious knife warfare when they succeeded in getting switchblade knives banned in 1954 after eight years of effort. Such knives open with a spring mechanism at the touch of a button.

"Gravity" knives need no spring and manufacturers, legally in the clear, are flooding the city with them.

A committee to prevent the sale of such dangerous weapons estimated Wednesday that 1,000,000 gravity or switchblade knives a year are sold or brought into the city.

B.C. ROUNDUP

Planes to Take Over Union Steamer Runs

(From CP Dispatches)

VANCOUVER (CP)—Two Vancouver air line companies said Thursday they will provide passenger service to all B.C. coast points served up to now by Union Steamship Ltd. which has announced it will suspend passenger service Jan. 2.

Pacific Western Airlines and B.C. Air Lines said in a joint statement amphibious planes of B.C. Air Lines will provide service to Bella Bella, Namu and Bella Coola, only Union Steamships ports of call not already served by the air lines.

Passengers will be flown to Port Hardy in BCAL Beaver planes to join PWA flights to Vancouver.

The companies said they will make immediate application to the federal government for a subsidy to guarantee frequent year-around service — weather permitting — for all coastal points.

A PWA spokesman said traffic and weather conditions allow a profitable operation on the coast during the summer months, but in the winter schedules are drastically reduced because of poor flying weather and few passengers.

Canadian Pacific Airlines, which operates one flight to and from Sandspit in the Queen Charlottes each day, said it is prepared to increase this service if traffic warrants it.

BOY, 16, STABBED

VANCOUVER—Police said a 16-year-old boy was stabbed in the stomach Thursday during a juvenile gang fight in a downtown lot.

The boy was taken to hospital after being bandaged in the office of a dentist near the scene of the fight.

Witnesses said they saw

MINER KILLED

BRITANNIA BEACH — Piotr Orlowski, 40, was found dead at the bottom of a six-foot underground shoot at the Britannia copper mine Thursday.

A company official said the Polish-born miner was found lying at the bottom of the chute which was near where he and a companion were working. It is not known whether he collapsed, was killed by the fall, or hit by a falling rock.

Officer Offered Job If He'll Drop Suit

MONTREAL (CP)—Police Inspector Romeo Longpre, dismissed nearly three years ago by the previous Montreal administration, was reinstated by the city executive committee Thursday on condition he withdrew a \$75,000 damage action against the city.

Informed sources said Inspector Longpre would be appointed head of the 200-man detective criminal investigation branch should he drop the suit. He was second in charge before his dismissal. The present head, Inspector William Fitzpatrick, would be shifted to second in charge.

Snails, Fried Bees For Chamber Supper

Snails, grasshoppers, fried bees and spiced rattlesnake were consumed by enterprising members of Victoria Chamber of Commerce tourist trade group at their Christmas party in Olde England Inn Thursday night.

Some, however, shied away from this exotic fare, preferring the good old stand-bys—turkey, ham, B.C. salmon, cold

roast beef, fruit and vegetable salad and the other delicacies that go with a full-scale buffet supper.

REUNION

The party served as a reunion for members of the tourist trade group who took part in the good-will tour of Washington, Oregon and California last spring.

The tour was re-enacted in comedy skit organized by Bud Buchanan. Among those taking part were group chairman Sam Lane, secretary Russ Jeffs, Ernest C. Brown, Mrs. Avis Walton, Max Zabel, Herb Doherty, Bernie Cox, Jack Dirom, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kirkpatrick and Jim Eaton, president of the Sidney Chamber of Commerce.

Dancing followed until midnight.

Britain Took 'Last Chance' On Bank Rate

LONDON (Reuters)—Chancellor of the Exchequer Peter Thorneycroft told a tribunal today that if he had failed to halt the drain on the British pound last September it is unlikely he would have had "a second chance."

He agreed that "time was running very short" when Britain Sept. 19 raised the bank rate by 2 per cent to 7.

Thorneycroft gave evidence before the tribunal investigating allegations that there was leakage of information about the bank rate increase and that certain people profited from the stock exchange from knowing in advance about it.

Evidence was concluded today after 130 witnesses had testified in 12 days of sitting.

Thorneycroft said he had wanted maximum support for the economic policy he was putting forward. That was why he decided, with cabinet approval, to give some prior guidance to the press and some advance warning to those immediately affected by his measures.

"I told them that we were going to hold the pound to \$2.80," he said. "I described the measures we were taking both in the public and private sector."

But, he said, he made no reference to the bank rate in this advance guidance.

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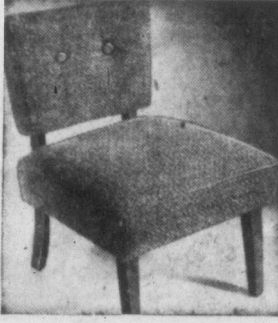
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Girl Guide Captures Top Prize In Big Times Coloring Contest

A 10-year-old girl guide, Connie Barker, has been named top prize-winner in the Victoria Daily Times Little People's Christmas Coloring contest which concluded last weekend.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth C. R. Barker, 3800 Carey Road, attends Tolmie School, and has always

been fond of drawing and painting. She turned in a most artistic set of the three sketches colored with crayon to win the \$15 first prize.

Second prize was won by Wayne Poirier, aged 9½. He will receive a cheque for \$10 for his neat, imaginative set done in tempera.

Wayne lives at 540 Island Highway and attends Langford School.

Third prize of \$5 goes to Jimmy Vosper, nine, 2888 Glenwood Avenue, and fourth of \$2.50 to Joanne Venton, 10, of 1338 Minto Street.

\$1 PRIZES

Honorable mention prizes of \$1 each have been awarded to Rory Wong, nine, Paldi, V.I.; Anita Casilio, 10, of 3404 Cedar Hill Road; Finn Andersen, 10, of 1426 Taunton Street; JoAnn Lydbrook, eight, 3155 Glasgow, and Cindy Smith, seven, who lives at Saaseos.

There were 285 entries of a quite excellent general standard, so that those who have won prizes can feel proud of their accomplishment. Those who didn't win should understand they have done well and will have a good chance when the next contest rolls around.

Entries were judged on a basis of neatness of presentation, originality, imagination and taste.

TV SET

During the dinner-dance in the Chez Marcel in her honor, Miss Elliott was presented with a 21-inch television set by John Tribe, comptroller-treasurer, on behalf of the municipal employees.

Reeve Ash presented her with an overnight travelling case from the council.

Also speaking were former reeves Robert Macnicol, 1924-26; A. G. Lambrick, 1939-40 and 1946; Leslie Passmore, 1941, and Joseph Casey, 1950-55.

Pensions Boosted To Meet Higher Funeral Expenses

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons Thursday night passed a government measure making a series of minor changes in the Veterans Pension Act.

Veterans Minister A. J. Brooks noted that they include an increase to \$250 from \$185 for funeral and burial expenses "to meet the increased cost of dying."

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Reds Rule Strip-Tease Out Dancer Jailed 30 Months

BERLIN (UP)—The Communists have declared the strip dance unconstitutional.

The first criminal court of the District of Leipzig has just ruled that such a dance violates Article Six of the East German constitution.

What's more, the strip dance is a crime whether performed inside East Germany or out, the court ruled.

It handed a 2½-year sentence to a dancer named Marga Schlott-Indra who recruited other girls in her home town of Leipzig for a tour of West Germany.

She was arrested after the Communist youth newspaper, "Young World," exposed the type of dances the girls did before West German audiences composed of what the newspaper called "American occupiers, seamen and snobs."

"Their bodies were clad with nothing more than shoes, very tight panties and two flowers the size of a coin," the newspaper reported.

"The girls had to take part in a game called lingerie fishing. The drunken guests and American soldiers, armed with fishing poles, would tear their underwear piece for piece from their bodies while they stood on the stage."

Article 6 does not mention the striptease specifically. It does cover the broad field of "rights of the citizen" and bans "boycott of democratic institutions, hatred of other peoples and war-mongering."

Under just which category the dance of disrobing falls was not clarified but the Communists use the clause to cover most behavior of which they disapprove.

As in all well-run Communist trials, the defendant confessed. Asked by the court what she herself thought of Schoenheits-

taenze, (literally: "beauty dances"), Miss Schlott-Indra replied:

"I find them appalling. No decent person would attend such a thing."

Young World said the 30-month sentence was far too lenient "when you consider the gravity of her offence."

TRAFFIC FINES

In Saanich police court Thursday:

Denis St. Denis, Ganges, \$35 for speeding over 50.

Florence A. Graham, Duncan, \$25 for speeding over 40.

John F. Mullin, 976 McKenzie, \$35 and restricted to business driving only for one month, for careless driving.

Kathryn Botting, 1605 Wilmot, \$35 and licence suspension, for careless driving.

John Leo Paquette, 509 Niagara, \$25 for violation of driver's licence restriction.

James Lang Grieve, 1084 Marigold, \$10 for operating a car equipped with a vacuum whistle.

Milo Bowes, 2321 Lee, \$15 for failing to pull over for an approaching emergency vehicle with siren sounding.

Percy Alfred Louie, West Saanich Reserve, \$25 for allowing a passenger to interfere with control of a vehicle.

Holger Julius Juliusson, RCN, \$25 for driving without a licence and \$10 for being a learner unaccompanied by an adult licence-holder.

Henry Hubscher, 4259 Wilkinson, \$35 and licence suspension for careless driving.

Philip Thomas, Mt. Newton Crossroad, \$35 for driving without a licence.

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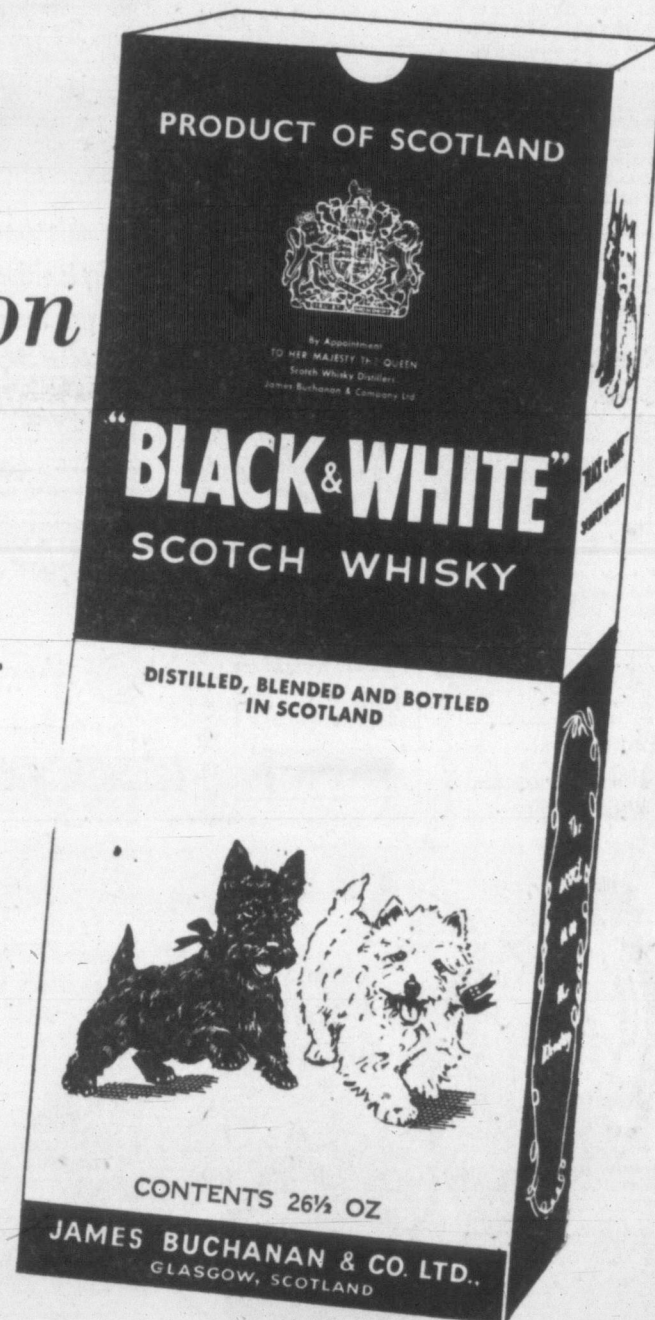
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Course at Victoria College Designed To Help Busy Executive Read Fast

By TONY DICKASON

Take a page from Frank W. Fraser's book, and skim it.

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But most persons mumble along, many with writhing lips, when perusing literature. His course — ten weeks, twice a week — is designed to help the busy executive to read, fast and succinctly.

This is accomplished by getting students co-ordinated in reading habits. Unsuccessful readers scan lines with the functional regularity of a watered carburetor, that is, spottily and inaccurately. They will read the word "saw" when the actual word is "was," quite the reverse.

Mr. Fraser says the course is not in the tired classification of "Why Johnny Can't Read," but could be more appropriately entitled "How Executives CAN Read."

BROAD WAY

It's simple, with training: the course teaches how to read the broad way — taking in a lot at a glance horizontally, and how to be selective in reading. This selection means one doesn't have to read everything in the script; "just the pertinent facts, ma'am."

The why of all this? Today's busy executives get a great deal of material, written, across their desks each day, week and month. This is impossible to read in its entirety. So, perforce, the top men must learn to read fast, and still know what they are reading. Thus Mr. Fraser's course. It embraces changing of thought patterns in reading and changes of the mechanical reading aspects.

There are no norms in the course. Student-executives compete only against themselves.

This is because, when a cup is full, it's full, no matter what the content potential. In other words, the better you are in reading quickly and absorbing the material read, the less chance you'll have to improve.

Does the course actually benefit those taking it? Yes. Twenty-one top executives of a United States corporation recently went through the Harvard-originated reading study, and average improvement in the 17-week period was 216 per cent!

And this embraced only 43 hours of training.

Educationists generally concede that reading training steps for most people around grade seven.

Reading is an acquired skill, and can go on and on. Few persons bother. Maybe it's the fact they are in a position where reading is not often required, or they are using the sometime substitute of conversation and listening to absorb knowledge. This is definitely doing it the hard way.

BASIC LAW

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POOR SEASON OF YEAR TO LOSE PET TURKEY

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—Eddie Williams thinks he may miss spending Christmas with his pet, but suspects it will show up at someone's celebration. He told police someone stole his pet turkey.

CNR Speeds Work to Provide Jobs

OTTAWA (CP)—An accelerated works program by the CNR to provide winter employment was announced today by Transport Minister Hees in the Commons. He said the \$3,500,000 program will provide 1,060,000 man-hours of work for 600 men. It involves stepping up railway shop activities at Moncton, N.B., Calder, Sask., London, Ont. and Port Mann, B.C. Work also would be speeded on a CNR spur-line at Atikokan, Ont., scene of an iron ore development. There also would be enlargement of railway yards at Corner Brook, Nfld., and Moncton, and construction of portable railway dwellings.

Mr. Hees said, too, the public works department has been asked to call tenders as early as possible for construction of a new marine agency building at Halifax and for the second stage of a wharf construction program at Saint John, N.B. The present Swedish Riksdag, or Parliament, was formed about the year 1435.

SHIP CRASH TO BE PROBED

OTTAWA (CP)—A public inquiry will be held into last July's grounding of the government hydrographic ship Baffin off the Nova Scotia coast, Mines Minister Comtois announced today in the Commons.

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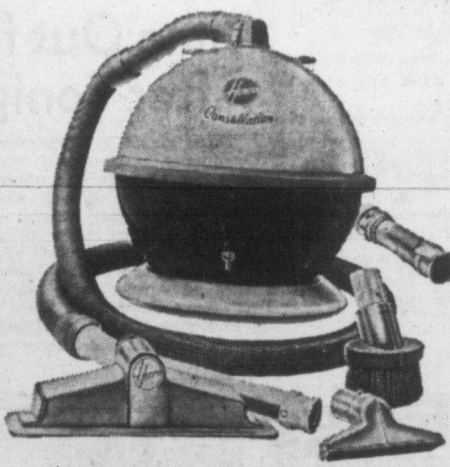
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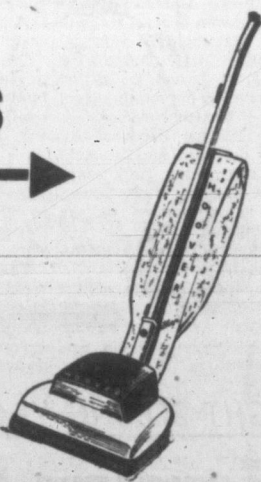
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Don't Let This Happen to You

Let this be a lesson to you, might be words of Victoria Cougar coach Pat Egan as he points out belt-line development of "Dead-Pan Duke" to new defenceman Bud Syverson (right). Famed circus clown will provide laughs at "Christmas Party Night"

game at Memorial Arena Saturday night. Egan and Syverson will be dead serious as they face Seattle Americans in Western Hockey League tussle. Cougars will give away 20 turkeys and hams to fans and distribute 500 bags of candy among youngsters.

Telling Blows By Uncle Sam

By JACK CUDDY
NEW YORK (UP)—Carmen Basilio and Uncle Sam landed the most telling punches in boxing in 1957.
Their achievements stood out during 12 months of turmoil that shook the fight game's very foundations.
Also outstanding was America's shiny new safety record of not a single death among U.S. professionals as the result of a ring injury, although there were two fatalities among U.S. amateurs.
Basilio, former onion grower from upstate New York, was voted "fighter of the year" because as welterweight champion he knocked out ex-champ Johnny Saxton at 2:42 of the second round and won the mid-

dleweight title from Sugar Ray Robinson in a thriller.
Meanwhile, Uncle Sam dealt what could be knockout blows to Jim Norris' promotional empire. On March 8, Judge Sylvester J. Ryan in the U.S. district court at New York, found Norris and his International Boxing Clubs of New York and Illinois guilty of monopoly. And on June 24, Judge Ryan ordered their complete dissolution.
Norris and his associates appealed the decision to the United States Supreme Court, which is expected to rule early in 1958.
Norris was not only beset by the government, he was bitterly assailed during revolts by Sugar Ray and by heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson.

Sugar Ray Was Noisiest Fighter

Robinson was the noisiest fighter of the year during his temporary revolt, before his defence of the 160-pound crown against Basilio—one of the 16 title fights staged throughout the world in 1957.
And Sugar Ray was also the ring's biggest money earner for the year with a total purse of \$689,336 (without movie money) for his losing and winning title fights with Gene Fullmer, Jan. 2 and May 1, and his defeat by Archie Moore, Sept. 23. The Basilio-Robinson gate of \$556,467 at Yankee Stadium was the largest of the year anywhere.
Heavyweight ruler Patterson and manager Gus D'Amato refused to fight under Norris' promotion and blasted him at every opportunity. Instead, Patterson defended for Emil Lence at the Polo Grounds against Tommy (Hurricane) Jackson, July 29, and stopped him in the 10th round after a savage beating. Lence lost money on the promotion.
Patterson's second defence was against Pete Rademacher, in his first professional fight, at Seattle, Wash., Aug. 22. He

floored Rademacher seven times for a sixth-round kayo. Jack Hurley promoted. Backers of Rademacher, who had guaranteed Patterson \$250,000, lost money. The gross gate was \$243,030.
Basilio's welterweight title was vacated automatically when he won the middleweight crown from Robinson. A six-man tournament to produce a new champion is expected to be completed in March.
Archie Moore, in his early 40s, made one defence of his light-heavyweight diadem against Tony Anthony Sept. 20.
Joe Brown registered three straight kayoes in defence of his lightweight (135) title over ex-champ Wallace (Bud) Smith, Orlando Zulueta and Joey Lopes.
Sandy Saddler retired as featherweight champion in March because of an eye injury suffered in a taxicab accident. In a tournament final, Hogan (Kid) Bassey of Nigeria won the vacant crown by knocking out Cherif Hamia of France, June 24.

Decline in Ring Deaths Recorded

Frenchman Alphonse Halimi of Algeria won general recognition as bantamweight ruler by outpointing Mario D'Agata of Italy, April 1, and he settled all disputes by outpointing Raul Macias of Mexico, Nov. 6.
Little Pascual Perez of Argentina defended his flyweight laurels three times. He knocked out Welshman Dai Dower, March 30; outpointed Chilean Luis Jimenez, July 12; and knocked out Spain's young Martin, Dec. 7.
Perhaps the "rookie of the year" would be middleweight United Gene (Ace) Armstrong of Elizabeth, N.J., who had his first main event in 1957 and ex-

tended his unbeaten string to 13 straight by seven wins this year.
The Ring Magazine's tabulation of world-wide 1957 boxing fatalities on Dec. 16 showed a total of eight among amateurs and professionals. That was three less than last year. And for the first time since the magazine began compiling fatalities in 1954, there was not a single ring-death among U.S. professionals.
That's probably an all-time record for the professional glove sport in the United States," publisher Nat Fleischer said. "But I guess there's no way of proving it."

BRIGHT BOXING YEAR PREDICTED

Foreign Champs Eye U.S. Rings

NEW YORK (UP)—An invasion of the United States by foreign fighters probably will feature boxing in 1958.
Leather-tossers from other lands will be coming over in almost unprecedented numbers, according to current battle plans of the International Boxing Club.
Managing director Harry Markson "of the IBC" says, "We are combing foreign countries for talent, and we will bring over the best fighters we can find in order to stimulate competition here."
Naming more than a dozen prospective visitors, Markson

NOT ALL NEWS IS BAD FOR TROUBLED DODGERS

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (UP)—The Los Angeles Dodgers, who are having their share of trouble in just about everything else, had good news today about outfielder Duke Snider.
Snider underwent an operation Thursday at St. John's Hospital to remove a torn cartilage from his left knee. Dr. Dan Levinthal, who performed the operation, said Snider was in excellent condition and that the knee should be a sound as ever by next spring.
Levinthal said Snider should be able to return to his home at Fallbrook, Calif., for Christmas.

SECRET PRACTICES

Tricks in Store For Pro Playoff?

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—San Francisco 49ers and Detroit Lions practised in secret Thursday with both expected to spring something new for their playoff battle Sunday.
With the championship of the National Football League's eastern conference at stake, nothing will be held back.
San Francisco in particular has come up with tricky stuff this season. Last week against Green Bay, Joe Arenas knelt at the 15-yard line to hold the ball for Gordy Soltau's field goal attempt. Instead, Joe took the ball, whirled and ran for a touchdown.
Quick-kicks, a rarity in professional ball, bootlegs and half-back passes, also have come up to surprise 49er foes. Arenas, a seven-year veteran half used in spots, has thrown three passes and completed all of them—two for touchdowns.
"Sure, we'll have something," says coach Frankie Albert with an understanding lack of amplification.
The 49ers train at Redwood City behind fences covered with tarps. Farther down the San Francisco peninsula, the Lions drill behind closed gates at Stanford.
Detroit coach George Wilson says all the workouts this week will be in private, as Lions stress their timing and some plays the 49ers didn't see the two times they met in the regular season.
San Francisco won the first game 35-31 on a touchdown pass in the final 11 seconds. Detroit took a 31-10 triumph in the return battle.
The winner of the game will go against Cleveland Browns Dec. 29 for the NFL title.

Soccer Loop Revises Slate For Weekend

Due to the suspension of the Canadian Hungarians team, there will be only four matches carded in the Victoria and District Football Association this weekend.
At Royal Athletic Park Sunday, Esquimalt and Punjab United will clash for the first time in the league's second-half schedule.
In other Sunday matches, Heaneys and Brodie's Bakery will meet at Heywood Avenue; Butler Bros. will tangle with first-half-champion Tillamums at Central Park and Victoria Kickers take on Gorge Hotel at Topaz Avenue Park.
Canadian Scottish has drawn a bye.
All games start at 2 p.m.

Jack Gives NHL Pilots New Reason to Wonder

Notches First Two Goals In First Game With Wings

By The Canadian Press

National Hockey League coaches are not usually noted for their psychological musings but more than one must have pondered the mysterious effect a new uni-

Thursday night, for example, Jack McIntyre, playing his first game with Detroit Red Wings, scored two third-period goals to give Wings a 3-2 victory over Toronto Maple Leafs.

In 28 games this season with Chicago Black Hawks, who traded him with three others Tuesday to Detroit, he had not notched a goal.

In Boston the Bruins fought second-place New York Rangers to a 3-3 tie in a game highlighted by rearguard Larry Hillman's second goal in three seasons and Camille Henry's 17th goal of the season for New York.

CONTINUE MASTERY

A small crowd of 8,665 watched Detroit, in fifth place, continue its season mastery over Leafs, who had moved into a third-place tie with Boston, but dropped one point behind after Bruins' tie.

McIntyre, a 27-year-old winger who has been up and down with NHL clubs six times, moved onto a line with Alex Delvecchio and Marcel Pronovost in the third period after Metro Prystal was hurt and promptly banged in his pair, at 8:06 and 15:56.

They gave Wings a 3-1 lead until Leafs' Tod Sloan, who had scored in the first period, got his second of the night at 17:47.
To increase general manager Jack Adams' lustre as a trader, the third Detroit goal, scored in the second period, was from the stick of Forbes Kennedy, acquired from Hawks last Spring.

In Boston, Bruins appeared to have a win as they led 2-1 midway through the third period. But then, in the space of three minutes of furious action, Rangers scored twice and Bruins once to end the game in a tie.

TWO FOR TOPPER

Jerry Topozinski, returning after a two-game absence, gave Bruins their early lead with first and second-period goals, answered only by Henry's score.

Then Rangers pulled into a 2-2 tie in the third on Larry Popen's backhand at 11:37 and Bill Gadsby put them ahead 3-2 on a 50-foot shot that caromed crazily past goalie Don Simmons at 13:34.

At 14:24, Hillman, a 20-year-old who has spent parts of three seasons in the NHL, blasted the puck past Marcel Pilon during a goalmouth scramble.
The weekend will see a full six-game schedule. Saturday, Montreal Canadiens are host to New York, Bruins are in Toronto and Detroit is in Chicago. Sunday, Canadiens are in New York, Toronto in Chicago and Boston in Detroit.



CAMILLE HENRY

Henry Gains In Goal Race

Camille Henry of New York Rangers, who Wednesday took over from Montreal's Henri (Pocket Rocket) Richard as the National Hockey League's goal-scoring leader, solidified his hold Thursday by getting one goal in a 3-3 tie with Boston Bruins.
Henry now has 17 goals to Richard's 15.

The Leaders:

	G	A	Pts
H. Richard, Montreal	15	20	35
C. Henry, New York	17	10	34
M. Pilon, Montreal	12	17	21
F. Kennedy, Detroit	1	1	2
B. Gadsby, Detroit	1	1	2
T. Sloan, Toronto	1	1	2
J. Topozinski, Boston	1	1	2

BAA Host All-Blacks In Rugby Exhibition

Playing host for their first division one inter-city exhibition English Rugby game of the season, JBAA will face highly-rated North Shore All-Blacks Saturday at Macdonald Park.
Chosen as the team for the 2:30 p.m. fixture are the following players:
Forwards: Harry Sylvester, Harry Turner, Pete Barry, Mel Davidson, Bill Berry, Tom Ballard, Doug Brown and Timman Briggs.
Backs: Harry Millard, Gordy Hemmings, Dave Cook, Bob Abbott, Vic Sivil, Ken Higgs and George Wilson with spare Bill McKay.

Dairy Queens Drive To Top Hoop Berth

With Victoria College Vikings idle over their seasonal holiday, Dairy Queen Eeds took advantage of the break to drive into first place in the Senior "B" Men's Basketball League by downing Dickinson and Dunn, 50-44, at Mt. View High School Thursday night.
Playing without the services of high-scoring Johnny Clark, Eeds fell back on the point-getting of centre Charlie Boyd, who hooped 17 points to set the pace.

Gary Taylor added 15 more for the winners while Chuck Bennett and George Dennison dropped in 10 each for the double Ds.
In preliminary women's action, Victoria B's bounced back from last week's defeat to down Polyettes, 51-18, behind the sharp-shooting of Louise Heal, who potted 19 points.

Victoria B's—Wood 7, Peterson 6, De Montigny 7, Heil 13, Grooms 10, Mitchell 1, Mitchell 2, Camp, Speers, Total—51.
Polyettes—Cods, S. Sinclair 2, P. Sinclair 4, Wetmore, Walls 6, Cuth 4, Calhoun, Total—18.

Dairy Queen Eeds W L Pts. Victoria College 3 0 6 Dickinson & Dunn 1 4 2

Following is the second half of the schedule, which resumes Jan. 3.

PRE-MIDGET GIRLS

Jan. 3—Cordova vs. Sooke, Jan. 10—Brentwood vs. Cordova, Jan. 17—Brentwood vs. Sooke.

PRE-MIDGET BOYS

Jan. 15—Cordova vs. Sooke, Jan. 22—Sooke vs. Cordova, Feb. 5—Brentwood vs. Sooke, Feb. 12—Brentwood vs. Sooke.

MIDGET GIRLS

Jan. 3—Brentwood vs. Sooke, Jan. 10—Sooke vs. Cordova, Jan. 17—Sooke vs. Cordova, Jan. 24—Brentwood vs. Cordova, Feb. 7—Cordova vs. Cordova, Feb. 14—Sooke vs. Brentwood.

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Archer Favored

NEW YORK (UP)—Welterweight Jimmy Archer seeks his 13th straight victory in his first Madison Square Garden main event tonight against Canadian Dale Kerwin.

Their 10-rounder will be televised and broadcast nationally by NBC.

SPORTS

DOUG PEDEN, Sports Editor

10 Victoria Daily Times FRIDAY, DEC. 20, 1957

LEAD BOOSTED

Clubs Suffering From Warrioritis

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
Winnipeg Warriors' 3-2 win over Calgary Stampede in the Western Hockey League Thursday night has given them 11 points ahead of second-place Edmonton Flyers and left Saskatchewan St. Paul Regals and Calgary 14 and 17 points respectively, off the pace.

Edmonton has played five games less than Winnipeg. The Flyers won't catch up that number for several weeks, but even if they won them all, they would still be a point behind the Warriors.
There was no action Thursday night in the coast division. The leading New Westminster Royals will play second-place Vancouver Canucks tonight, while the Regals meet Edmonton.

QUICK REPLY
Calgary opened the scoring against Winnipeg when a scramble in front of the Warrior net let Sid Finney in to score. Thirty-four seconds later Pete Kapusta slapped in his own rebound to tie it at 1-1. Gordie Redahl drove in Winnipeg's second goal five minutes later after picking up a clearance from Earl Ingardfield at the centre line, beating defencemen Fred Hucul, and faking netminder Al Rollins.

Calgary tied the score at 2-2 after a scoreless second period when Dave Duke took advantage of a loose puck in the net.

Winnipeg's third goal came in the third period when Earl Ingardfield scored on a rebound from a shot by Gordie Redahl.

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WHL SUMMARY

PRAIRIE DIVISION									
	GP	W	L	T	P	A	Pts		
Winnipeg	30	19	11	0	0	72	38		
Edmonton	25	13	11	1	0	41	27		
Saskatoon	25	13	13	0	0	70	24		
Calgary	30	10	19	1	0	74	21		
WINNIPEG & CALGARY 2									
FIRST PERIOD									
1—Calgary Finney (Kuryluk, Witluk) 6:01									
2—Winnipeg Kapusta (Stratton) 6:35									
3—Winnipeg Redahl (Ingardfield) 11:44									
Penalties: Pilon 14:02, Stratton 16:47, Duke (team penalty) 18:33.									
SECOND PERIOD									
Scoring None									
Penalties: Keating 11:32, Arnett 13:30, Redahl and Ross 14:02.									
THIRD PERIOD									
4—Calgary Duke (Marrett) 5:15									
5—Winnipeg Stratton (Summers) 14:16									
Penalties: Witluk 1:31, Arnett 3:36, Hicks 7:15.									
Shots: Winnipeg 24, Calgary 23.									
Referee: Rollins									
Linesman: McKelvie									

Midget Royals Win First Game

Vince Callender and Garth Paret fired home the only goals Thursday as Canucks defeated Americans to move out in front of the midget division of the Greater Victoria Minor Hockey Association at Memorial Arena.
A "hat trick" went to Dennis Yardley, in other midget action. He scored all of Royals' points as they gained their first win of the season by defeating Cougars, 3-2. Murray Southern and Allan Tabet scored for the losers.

	W	L	P	A	Pts
Canucks	3	1	0	7	6
Flyers	3	2	2	7	4
Cougars	1	3	2	7	2
Americans	1	3	2	5	4
Royals	1	0	0	5	2

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RUGBY—
2:30 p.m.—Exhibition Inter-City Match: JBAA vs. North Shore All-Blacks, Macdonald Park.
SOCCER—
2:00 p.m.—Victoria and District Football Association: Victoria United, Royal Athletic Park.
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OUTDOOR REPORT BY Doug Peden

Caught with a long shopping list and only three short shopping days until Christmas?

It's a tough situation, but if you're looking for things to please outdoor-type males, your problems are half solved. There are dozens of items available and hunters and fishermen never think they have enough equipment.

This is the time of year when the ladies and small fry are wishing into sporting goods stores and gulping with surprise when they read the price tags attached to various outdoor gadgets.

However, selecting something for that man of yours should not be too difficult a chore unless you are planning to shell out a big parcel of folding stuff. There are choices to suit every budget. You can pick up useful gifts for less than a dollar, or spend several hundred.

But just a word for those who are planning to step into the high-price bracket. Unless the guy has dropped a hint of exactly what he wants, go slowly.

A shotgun, an outboard motor, a fine fly rod, a new rifle or a good spinning reel, for instance, would make a wonderful gift. But unless you have some information to work on, you have only an outside chance of matching his personal choice.

Some anglers prefer a glass fly rod to a split-cane creation; all hunters have definite ideas on the calibre and model of rifles they want; a trout fisherman won't thank you for a six-inch reel; and a fellow with a small boat can't use a 25-horsepower motor.

But don't let that stop you. Just make sure you do your buying from a reliable and experienced sporting goods dealer. He's a specialist and can do a lot to help you select the right items, provided he knows what they are going to be used for. And it's a good idea to make sure that the choice can be exchanged and then assure the fellow receiving it that you understand he may want to make a switch.

There's no law against the men helping late shoppers with a hint or two. Like "I wouldn't have caught cold in the duck blind last week if I had some of that insulated underwear that sells for around \$24 a set."

That's one way they can increase the chances of being able to use a convincing tone when they say, "Just what I've always wanted," next Wednesday morning.

Don't overlook clothing. Stiff stuff should be avoided, but some of the newer waterproof plastic pieces of apparel are really good. Insulated underwear and top-quality wool shirts are a bit expensive, but are always useful and should last for years. And nobody ever has too many pairs of good socks.

The selection is almost limitless, but here's a list of items that might help make your man's outdoor life more enjoyable:

SALMON FISHERMEN: Clothing, lures, fisherman's pliers, nonfilament nylon or wire line, glass trolling rod, large landing net, sun glasses, tackle box (rustproof), knife, single-action reel, assorted sinkers, planer, rod-holder, vacuum bottle.

TROUT OR STEELHEAD ANGLER: Clothing, waders, reel, landing net, assorted flies, lures, fly box, nylon monofilament or fly line, spinning reel, sun glasses, glass or split-cane rod, leaders, small sinkers.

BIRD HUNTER: Clothing, shells, duck call, shell vest, decoys, shooting gloves, gun-cleaning kit, waders, reloading tools, and trap and clay pigeons, vacuum bottle, knife, flashlight.

DEER AND BIG-GAME HUNTER: Clothing, knife, compass, belt axe, sleeping bag, waterproof match case, binoculars, rifle-cleaning kit, ammunition.

CAMPER: Camp stove, sleeping bag, tent, vacuum bottle, compass, portable ice box, clothing, flashlight, knife.

There are hundreds more; but the rest is up to you and the salesman. Good shopping!

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Fourth Race—\$2,000, claiming, two-year-olds and up, six furlongs.	Also: Condemnation, Balco's Ban, Fathers Plover, Gemelo. Time: 1:40 1-5.	
Fifth Race—\$2,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs.	Also: Condemnation, Balco's Ban, Fathers Plover, Gemelo. Time: 1:40 1-5.	
Sixth Race—\$2,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs.	Also: Condemnation, Balco's Ban, Fathers Plover, Gemelo. Time: 1:40 1-5.	

MINOR SOCCER

Following is the weekend schedule for the Greater Victoria Junior and Juvenile Soccer association:

SATURDAY	
10:30 a.m.—Division VII, Hampton Eagles vs. Buntin, Central Park.	
10:30 a.m.—Division VI, Optimists vs. Eagles, Windsor Park.	
10:30 a.m.—Division V, Gorgeview, Central Park; South Thistles vs. Reynolds Eagles, Redwood Park; Victoria Ties vs. Majors, Heywood Avenue Park.	
All teams concerned in morning games added to report to league office at 10 p.m.	
7:30 p.m.—Division V, ANAF Vets vs. Optimists, Lonsdale, Hollywood Park; Eagles vs. Britannia, Central Park.	
8:30 p.m.—Division IV, Eagles vs. Vets, Victoria West Park.	
SUNDAY	
2:00 p.m.—Division II, Eagles vs. Langley, Carnarvon Park.	
2:00 p.m.—Division I, Mariners vs. Mac's Grocery, Windsor Park.	

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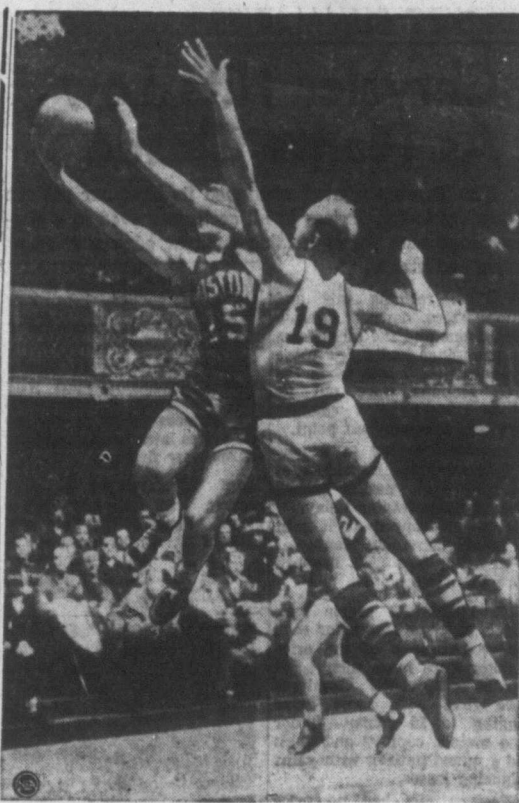
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Leaping attempt by Vern Mikkelsen (19) wasn't enough to stop high-flying Tom Heinson of phenomenal Boston Celtics from scoring in National Basketball Association game at Minneapolis. Celtics won to continue their runaway pace in pro loop.

GUN CLUB PREPARED

Tons of Turkeys Ready for Shoot

Early Saturday morning, two truckloads of plump, plucked turkeys will be rolling toward Metchosis.

Later during the day and through Sunday, the birds, in ones, twos and occasionally threes, will be lugged to their final destinations.

In case you haven't guessed, the turkeys—300 of them—will be prizes at the Victoria Gun Club's annual holiday shoot, which promises to be bigger and better than ever.

Already known as Vancouver Island's biggest turkey shoot, the event this year will be stretched over two days to accommodate an expected record number of gunners, many from up-Island points.

BIRDS BIGGER

Club secretary John Olson isn't taking any chances of underestimating the number of entrants. Although he expects that only about 12,000 rounds of ammunition will be fired Saturday and Sunday, he will have 20,000 clay pigeons ready for use.

"We've got two and a half tons of turkeys, 50 hams and 20 sides of bacon," says Olson. "That should be enough, but we can get more if necessary. And the birds are bigger than in other years. They average around 16 pounds."

Shooting starts each day at 9 a.m. and Olson urges contestants to arrive early since darkness usually prevents some late shooters from getting a chance to win a Christmas bird.

FIVE CLASSES

To give everyone a good chance to take home a turkey, gunners will compete in five different classes, including novice. Beginners may obtain coaching and the use of guns during the charity shoot.

Ammunition and refreshments will be available at the grounds and non-shooters will also be able to win turkeys and hams.

The gun club grounds are situated on the Metchosis Road, one mile from the Sooke Road. Shooting starts Saturday and Sunday at 9 a.m.

Afternoon Ladies Seeking Members

The Afternoon Ladies Curling Club is on the hunt for a few more curlers.

The league, which launches a new draw Jan. 2 at 1:30 p.m., has vacancies for at least eight more members. Regular curling days are on Mondays and Thursdays.

Ladies wishing to curl are asked to contact the secretary, Mrs. L. Walls, at 4-6257 or at the Victoria Curling Club rink.

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LONDON—George Martin, England, outpointed Armand Savoy, Montreal, 8 weights, unavailable.

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TALBERT STILL UNDECIDED

Wanted: One Southpaw Netter

MELBOURNE (AP)—Captain Bill Talbert sent out an urgent call today for a left-hander to work with his United States Davis Cup squad and hinted he may gamble in the doubles to give Vic Seixas a rest on the second day.

"I have asked Dinny Pails, our professional, to try to secure us a southpaw," Talbert said. "This is to get us accustomed to playing Mervyn Rose."

He said Pails has his eye on a young schoolboy in a junior tournament at Koo-yong Stadium.

Rose, veteran left-hander, is teaming with Mal Anderson in the doubles of the challenge round, scheduled for Kooyong Dec. 26 to 28.

Talbert demonstrated his indecision on the American

doubles lineup by calling for a dress rehearsal match today with Seixas and Gardnar Mulloy teaming against Pails and Barry Mackay of Dayton, Ohio. There have been strong indications Mackay, 22, might replace Mulloy, 44, who was not at his best last week against the Belgians.

Talbert said his doubles plans will depend on what happens on the first day. "We are not forfeiting a

thing," he said. "But it stands to reason that if Seixas, for instance, should have a tough five-set match on the opening day it might be impractical to play him in doubles and then expect him to go out and give a top performance again in the singles Saturday."

"So we might—now, understand I do not say we will—we just might hold Seixas out of the doubles and perhaps use Mulloy and Mackay."

MAY GAMBLE IN DOUBLES

'Ach, Still With Yard-Lines' Will Continue Until Jan. 12

By STEVE SNIDER

NEW YORK (UP)—The television set, its sound turned up high, was blaring away on a football game in a neighbor's house early last January. Out in the kitchen, a thickly-accented part-time cook said in disgust, "Ach, still with the yard-lines?"

It'll be "ach, still with the yard-lines" clear up to Jan. 12 again this season as two major networks pour out a total of 11 tasty post-season football dishes for the nation's armchair quarterbacks. Three involve the pros. The others are bowl or all-star college games.

Before the torrent is over, you'll see about everything football has to offer from Ohio State's "grind 'em till they drop" offense to Navy's jitterbug defence, from Paul Brown's signal-carrying system (in which Cleveland has alternative offensive "right guards running in and out with the play Brown wants called next), to the amazing sideline histrionics of Detroit defensive coach Buster Ramsey.

Here's the list:

Dec. 22—Detroit at San Francisco for the western conference pro title. (CBC).

Dec. 28—Blue-Gray All-Stars at Mobile, Ala. (NBC), East-West All-Stars at San Francisco (NBC), Texas A. and M. vs.

Rangers' Annual Meeting Jan. 7

South Vancouver Island Rangers will hold their annual general meeting Tuesday, Jan. 7, in the ANAF Veterans Club auditorium.

Election of officers will highlight the meeting, secretary Stew Jameson said. All members are requested to be present in order to vote.

Club members will also discuss plans for the coming year, including relocation of the clubhouse as well as completion of the rifle range.

AUSSIE BEST

MELBOURNE (AP)—Mervyn Lincoln, Australian Olympian, Thursday night defeated Czech star Stanislav Jungwirth in a 1,500-metre run. Lincoln was clocked in 3:46.5. Jungwirth was second in 3:48.1.

DULUTH, Minn.—Wayne Wornoch, 196, Omaha, Neb., stopped Don Jasper, 181, Duluth, 5.

For the BEST

See the R.C.A.F.

Tennessee in the Gator Bowl. (CBS).

Dec. 29—Cleveland Browns vs. Detroit-San Francisco winner for the pro title (NBC).

Jan. 1—Ohio State vs. Oregon in the Rose Bowl (NBC), Oklahoma vs. Duke in the Orange Bowl (CBS), Mississippi vs. Texas in the Sugar Bowl (NBC), Rice vs. Navy in the Cotton Bowl (CBS).

Jan. 11—Senior Bowl All-Stars at Mobile, Ala. (NBC).

Jan. 12—Pro Bowl All-Stars at Los Angeles (NBC).

CROW ON DISPLAY

On display in the Gator Bowl will be the No. 1 football player of the year, halfback John Crow of Texas A. and M., winner of the Heisman Trophy and United Press player-of-the-year awards. Running opposite Crow will be the old Tennessee single wing, a novelty to many viewers who mostly see split-T, spreads or multiple offences that go mostly from a T.

Oklahoma is back in the

Orange Bowl with most of the same old stuff that pleased the customers two years ago in the same spot—sound football run off at a breath-taking pace. On the other side of the scrimmage line are a couple of backs sure to please—Wray Carlton and George Dutrow of Duke.

HIGH STAKES

It's a treat to watch Navy any time, but particularly when the stakes are high as they'll be against Rice in the Cotton Bowl. Navy coach Eddie Erdelatz, a refugee from the pros, is a cinch to have a gimmick or two going.

In the Sugar Bowl—one of the top comeback teams of the year, Texas, dead last in the southwest last year, rebounded with a 6-3-1 record under new coach Darrell Royal, challenges big, rugged Mississippi.

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New Ski Area

PORT ANGELES, Wash. (AP)—A new skiing area will be opened Dec. 28 in the Hurricane Ridge area of the Olympic National Park.

Park superintendent Fred J. Overly said facilities at the area, 18 miles southeast of here, will include two rope tows, ski instruction and first aid protection. A visitors' centre will serve light meals. There will be no overnight facilities.

The area will be open daily from Dec. 28 through Jan. 2 and weekends thereafter.

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ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DINNER of Branch No. 5, Aged Pensioners' Organization, was enjoyed by 300 Thursday in St. John's Hall. Here Mr. and Mrs. Eric C. Jamieson, 1724 Cook, aged 91 and 73, show amazement as

magician Frank Merryfield takes card from Mrs. Jamieson's ear. Mrs. Jamieson is treasurer of Branch No. 5, as "you have to have a Scotsman to look after the money properly." (Times Photo.)

Flying Gas Stations Take Limit Off Range of Big U.S. Bombers

By WES COOK
WASHINGTON (AP)—Flying gasoline stations today hold the key to what military men have called the most crucial single element in national defence.

For all practical purposes, they make limitless the range which bombers can fly. The gas stations are four-engine monsters of the air known as KC-97 strato-tankers. More

than 800 of them are in service at U.S. bases around the world, providing a pipeline in the sky to supply B-47 and B-52 jet bombers.

The successful development of in-flight refueling means that should foreign bases be knocked out, attacks still can be mounted from the U.S.

Once every five minutes around the clock a flight of B-47s or B-52s jockey into position behind flying gas stations while en route to complete a simulated attack or returning to a home base still several thousands of miles away.

A flying gas boom is guided by the plexiglass cubbyhole in the belly of the tanker just forward of the tail section.

The boom is a slightly flexible metal arm, about 25 feet long and eight inches in diameter. It extends below the tanker when in use and can be moved up and down and to each side within a limited area. Two fins or wings are located near the end of the boom and enable the tanker crew to fly it into position much as an aircraft is steered.

The boom hovers over the jet's nose, then is quickly dropped into the open gas receiver.

About 600 gallons of fuel a minute can be pumped to the jet. The jets refueled by a flight of tankers may have come from Europe, the Pacific area, or any number of bases in the U.S. They may have completed two

Adventurer Found Guilty Of 2 Murders

CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP)—Maurice Chavigny, 44-year-old French citizen and soldier of fortune, was convicted Thursday of killing two friends—an American general and his wife.

The jury deliberated five hours before returning a verdict of guilty on two counts of second degree murder.

Chavigny was accused of killing retired Brig. Gen. Wilbur R. McReynolds, 64, the originator of K and C rations during the Second World War, and his 61-year-old wife.

He faces a jail sentence of 20 years to life imprisonment.

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SANTA BARBARA, Calif. (AP)—Women walking by the Balboa Building this holiday season will be taking their chances. A radio station has hoisted a five-foot-high mistletoe wreath on its tower atop the building. The station's call letters: KIST.



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Gunfight on Fifth Avenue Scares Christmas Shoppers

NEW YORK (UP)—Christmas shoppers on Fifth Avenue scattered for cover late Thursday when three policemen shot and killed a fleeing murder suspect.

The fugitive, George Husing, ran along 47th Street from Madison Avenue to Fifth before

police bullets felled him. Police said the streets were jammed with shoppers and rush hour crowds during the shooting which took place only three blocks from Rockefeller centre. Police said Husing had just bought two pairs of shoes at a store just north of 47th Street when he was approached by patrolman Joseph Smith. Police had warned all downtown stores to be on the lookout for Husing, who was wanted for questioning about a killing. The store manager notified police when he learned the man's name.

Husing ran west on 47th Street, and Smith fired several warning shots. Two other patrolmen, John Miles and Ed Bulger, jumped from their police car and joined in the chase, also firing their guns. Husing fell at the corner of Fifth Avenue in the heart of one of the city's busiest shopping districts. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

Deputy Chief Police Inspector

Britain Motor Fines Top Million Mark
LONDON (Reuters)—Fines imposed in Britain for motoring offences totalled more than £1,000,000 during 1956, a government report disclosed Thursday. It was the first time they had topped the million mark.

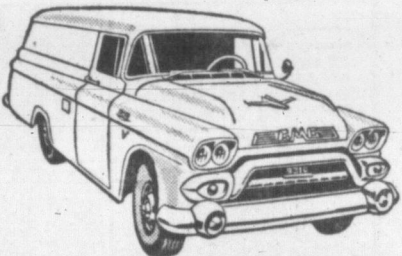
Evangelistic Crusade Shows Big Profit

NEW YORK (AP)—The final audit of evangelist Billy Graham's New York crusade showed a net profit of \$217,618. The crusade's executive committee announced that \$67,618 of the excess will be given to the Protestant Council of the City of New York, which initiated the crusade. The \$150,000 balance will go to the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association to support telecasts of subsequent crusades.

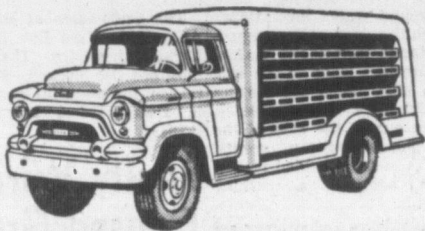
FOUR INJURED

BURNABY—Four persons, three of them from one family, were injured in a collision between two cars on the Lougheed Highway late Thursday. Taken to Royal Columbian Hospital were Frank Enman, his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Shirley Enman, her son, Wayne, four, and the driver of the other car, L. M. Haswell.

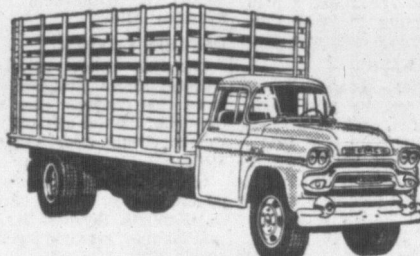
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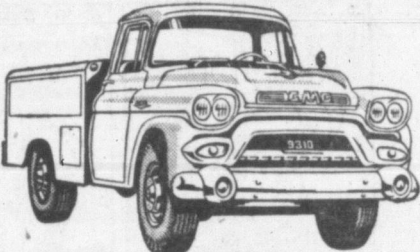
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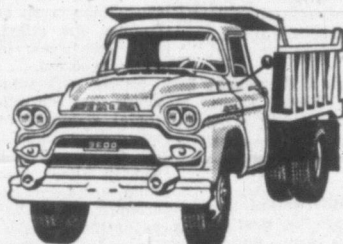
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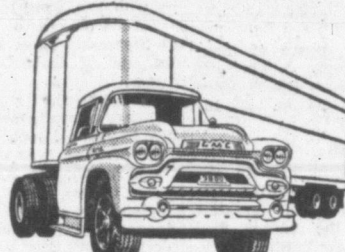
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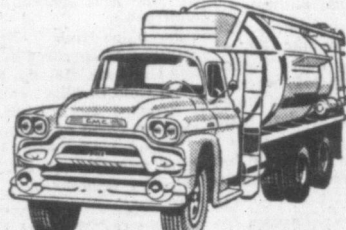
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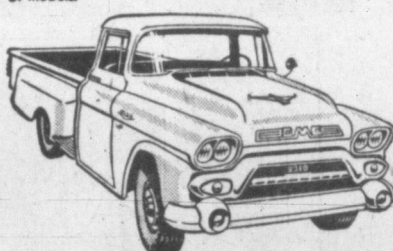
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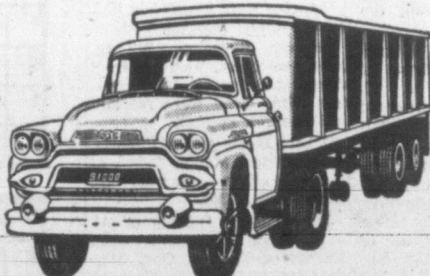


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YOUNG MOTHER—Hilda Trujillo, eight, of Lima, Peru, not much more than a baby herself, is the mother of the infant she holds. The baby, Maria Rosario, was born a month prematurely at Lima Maternity Hospital. Police are holding a 22-year-old cousin of Hilda's as the father. (NEA.)

World of Music Saddened in '57

Toscanini, Sibelius, Pinza, Gigli Among Year's Victims of Grim Reaper

By KEN SMITH
Canadian Press Staff Writer

The Earl of Athlone, Canada's governor-general during the Second World War, died in 1957. He was 82.

A great-uncle of Queen Elizabeth, he moved into Government House in 1940. His appointment lasted until 1946. He had also served as governor-general of South Africa from 1923 to 1930.

Much of his stay in Canada was devoted to the war effort. He toured the country many times, getting to know Canadians at every level of work.

OLDEST KING
King Haakon VII of Norway, the world's oldest reigning monarch, died, aged 85. He ascended the throne in 1906 as Norway's first king after the country split from Sweden. He insisted on a plebiscite to show the people wanted him before accepting the crown.

Aga Khan III, 79-year-old leader of 20,000,000 Ismaili Moslems, died. One of the world's richest men, he received on some of his birthdays his weight in gold, platinum and diamonds.

In another sphere of kingdoms, Petengro—king of Britain's gypsies—died. More than 90 years old, he took his throne in 1937.

MUSIC'S LOSS
Several personalities in the music field died. Arturo Toscanini, considered the greatest conductor of the century, died aged 89, in New York.

Jean Sibelius, 91, Finland's national composer, also died. He was noted for his tone poems, and wrote Finlandia, now Finland's national anthem.

Two noted singers—Ezio Pinza and Beniamino Gigli—died. Pinza, 64, was a leading operatic basso in 1948 when he quit opera to appear on Broadway in the hit musical South Pacific.

Gigli, 67, was considered heir to Enrico Caruso's title as the world's greatest tenor.

GOVERNMENT FIGURES
United States Senator Joseph McCarthy, 48, died of a liver ailment. He gave his name to a new type of witch-hunting; accusation without giving the accused chance to reply.

Antonin Zapotocky, unbending Communist president of Czechoslovakia, died at 72. Theodore Koerner, 83-year-old president of Austria since 1951, died.

Japanese career diplomat Mamoru Shigemitsu, 69, who signed the Japanese surrender in 1945, died. Earl Jowitt, former Labor leader in the British House of Lords and lord chancellor during Clement Attlee's post-war government, died at 72.

Deaths among Hollywood notables included the originator



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Andy sends a complete, 15-volume set of Compton's Pictured Encyclopedia to Ronnie Simpson, aged 11, of Somerset, Kentucky, for his question:

How Does Water Get Into Springs?

The sides of an ice cube stand up straight without any support. For ice is a solid and it stays that way until it melts. Then it becomes liquid water. And a runny liquid cannot stand up straight. It must have a floor and sides to support it. The floor must be solid. If it has pores and small holes, the water will seep through and seek a more solid floor below.

Streams and springs are fed by ground water. The ground water sinks into the earth trying to find a solid floor on which to rest. The rain falls down and goes on down, down until it has to stop. Some of it finds a solid floor on the surface of the earth. But it does not stop here. For the floor is not level. The land slopes down to the sea. This river gathers in streams and rivulets. It runs down the gentle slopes to join the sea.

Much of the earth's surface is covered with crumbly soil.

Other areas are covered with loose porous rocks. Soil and porous rocks do not make a firm solid floor. Instead of stopping on such a surface, the water seeps on down through the crumbly, the pores, the cracks and the crevices. It goes down, down seeking a solid floor.

The earth's crust is made of layers of different rocks. Some layers are loose and porous, some are firm and hard. Somewhere below a layer of loose surface gravel there is bound to be a layer of finer shale or slate. The water sinks down through the ground until it reaches this solid floor.

This reservoir of buried rain is the ground water. Down here, the porous rocks, loose dirt and gravel stand in a swamp of water. When the snow melts and after heavy rain more water sinks below. The upper level of the ground water rises. When there is a drought it sinks.

Ground Water Feeds Wells

The top level of the ground water tends to follow the contour of the earth. It rises under hills and dips in the valleys. Usually we have to dig through a layer of dry ground to get at the ground water. This is how we make water wells. A tunnel from above dips right down into the water-logged rocks. The well fills with water. We take some out and more drains in. The man-made well is fed by the vast reservoir of ground water.

Springs are really wells made by nature. Very often they happen on the side of a hill. Here the ground water level slopes up with the slope of the ground. It begins to seep sideways. And this direction leads to the side of the hills. Soon the seeping water reaches the surface, it trickles out of the side of the hill. The reservoir of ground water is pushing behind it. The trickle becomes a rushing spring.

Certain lakes and swamps are also fed by ground water. When a hollow in the earth dips down far enough it reaches ground water. The ground water, fed by snow and rainfall, fills the hollow and keeps it filled.

Andy sends a Hammond's International World Globe to Cindy Sutton, age 10, of Southport, Indiana, for her question: How big is the Mediterranean Sea?

The Mediterranean Sea is large enough to swallow the Great Lakes twelve times over. It is an azure blue stretch of water almost surrounded by land. There are but three small outlets. One is the Suez Canal which links it to the Red Sea and the Indian Ocean. One is the Dardanelles, a narrow strait which links it with the Black Sea. The other is the Strait of Gibraltar which links the Mediterranean with the Atlantic.

The whole area of the almost land-locked water is about 963,100 square miles—almost a million square miles. The length, from east to west from Gibraltar to Jordan, is some 2,400 miles. At its widest point, from north to south, it is about 1,200 miles.

8,700 STORIES

Newsman Leaves Last 'Exclusive'

NEW YORK (AP)—Lowell Limpus, 60-year-old New York newspaperman, died in his Manhattan apartment Thursday, leaving behind one last story—the 8,700 or more stories I've written to appear in The News. It's an exclusive, too.

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LAREDO

APACHES! THIEVIN' MURDERIN' APACHES! THE SAME AS KILLED MY TWO BROTHERS!

BURT! WILL YOU STOP CARRYIN' ON SO! FIND OUT WHAT HE WANTS.

HORSES RUN OFF IN STORM WALK MANY MILE. SQUAW SICK. SQUAW BAD SICK.

YOU TREACHEROUS KILLER! YOU JUST KEEP ON WALKIN' SICK SQUAW OR NO... YOU'LL NOT SET FOOT IN HERE!

BURT, HOW CAN YOU BE THAT WAY? BURT, LISTEN.....

LET 'EM FREEZE! I'LL SHOW 'EM THE SAME KIND OF MERCY THEY SHOWED MY BROTHERS! GET MOVIN', APACHE... OR I'LL BLAST YOU HALF IN TWO!

DILLY

WE'VE BEEN SINGING CAROLS ALL DAY, AND WE HAVEN'T MADE A NICKEL!

SURE, LADY!

SI-ILENT NIGHT!... H-HOLY NIGHT!

DICK TRACY

HER LEGS ARE BEING CRUSHED! SHE CAN'T MOVE.

MARCH TWO CARS BACK AND KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT. —SHUT, I SAID.

DOWN ON THE FLOOR.

JUNIOR!

NANCY

WHERE'S MY CANDELABRA?

NANCY---HAVE YOU SEEN MY CANDELABRA?

YES--IT'S IN THE REFRIGERATOR

I'M EXPECTING GUESTS THIS AFTERNOON

BUZ SAWYER

I DON'T LIKE IT, CAPTAIN. IT'S A STRANGE SOUND. IT'S NOT A PROPELLER... AND I DON'T THINK IT'S FISH!

AND HEAR THE SHIP, YOU SAY... HMM... SEND DOWN THE PROPELLER AT ONCE TO INVESTIGATE.

HAVE YOUR KNIVES READY, JUST IN CASE IT COULD BE A SHARK SCRATCHING HIMSELF AGAINST THE HULL.

SHARK, MY EYE! IT'S A SKIN DIVER!

DOTTY

HORACE, YOU'D BETTER TAKE THAT MISTLETOE!

WHY DOTTY? IT'S NOT MAKING ANY DIFFERENCE!

DON'T BE SO SURE ABOUT THAT--

---THE WORD SEEMS TO HAVE GOTTEN AROUND TO TAFFY'S BOY FRIENDS!

AROUND HOME

COULD YOU COME OUT AND PLAY MR. SAMUEL?

WHY-WHAT'S MY MISTLE?

SHE HAD TO HELP HER MOTHER WITH THE DISHES!

WELL--THIS IS AN EMERGENCY, I SUPPOSE I COULD!

HOLD IT, ARNOLD! YOU'RE NOT GOING ANY PLACE TIL WE FINISHED YOUR DISHES!

LONG SAM

THOSE ARE YEARS OF HAPPINESS, LONG SAM--DROPS OF SALT WATER LIQUID--

WHY ARE THERE TEARS IN YOUR BIG BLUE EYES, MR. PUTDOWN C?

DOG CAT BOOK

---SECRETED BY THE LACRIMAL GLAND FOR MOISTENING THE EYE--I SECRETED ONLY WHEN I WAS DELICIOUSLY HAPPY, LONG SAM.

AND ARE YOU DELICIOUSLY HAPPY, MR. PUTDOWN C?

DELICIOUSLY--HAPPY--ECSTATICALLY--HOPELESSLY HAPPY!!!

ALLEY OOP

ONLY A FEW THOUSAND TO FINANCE THIS TRIP OF YOURS TO THE MOON, EH?

ALL WE NEED'S LABOR AND FUEL... EVERY-THING ELSE IS READY.

I SUPPOSE YOU'VE GOT THE FEW THOUSAND NECESSARY?

WELL... NO. NOT RIGHT OFFHAND... I GOT A FEW THOUSAND, I ASK YOU?

ME? WHERE'D I GET A FEW THOUSAND?

AW, NOW LOOK, DOC--GIVE ME CREDIT FOR A LITTLE DISCRETION

DISCRETION??

WELL, IT CERTAINLY WOULD NOT BE DISCREET TO ASK WHERE YOU GET YOUR MONEY, WOULD IT?

MARK TRAIL

I CAN'T UNDERSTAND WHY CHRIS GOT SO UPSET, MARK...WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS OUTFIT?

LOOK, MARK, DO YOU KNOW WHAT'S WRONG WITH CHRIS? IF YOU DO, FOR HEAVEN'S SAKE, TELL ME!

I GUESS SHE JUST DIDN'T LIKE IT, BOB?

YOU'RE CRAZY! CHRIS IS JUST A KID...IN LOVE WITH WHO?

WITH SCOTTY... IT'S AS PLAIN AS DAY, BOB.

OKAY, I'LL TELL YOU... SHE'S IN LOVE!

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Take home some Christmas Family Packs.

Plea Heard for Boost In TV Copyright Fee

OTTAWA (CP)—The Copyright Commission of Canada has asked the Copyright Board to boost fees charged private radio and television stations and businesses using wired music systems.

The performing rights organization has asked that its fee to broadcasters be raised to two per cent of gross revenue from 1 1/2 per cent. CAPAC also wants removal of certain deductions allowed now from stations' revenue.

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Standing Bus Hit By Car; 3 Killed

STE. GERMAINE, Que. (CP)—An automobile struck the rear of a bus near here late Thursday killing both passengers in the car and the bus driver who had stopped his vehicle to put chains on the rear wheels.

The bus driver, Lucien Picard, 34, of St. Malachie, was killed when pinned to the rear of his vehicle.

Two passengers in the automobile, Leonidas Lapierre, 60, and Ernest Pouliot, 55, were killed. The driver of the car, Florian Pouliot, suffered serious injuries. All are from nearby St. Luc.

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Rainier, Grace Deny Planning To Make Movie

MONACO (AP)—Prince Rainier of Monaco today flatly denied a report that he and Grace Kelly would have leading parts in a film about Bernadette of Lourdes.

"There is not a single word of truth in it," the prince said through his press attache of the report that Princess Grace would play Bernadette.

The Vatican also disclaimed any knowledge of the film.

"It's the first I've heard of it," said Msgr. Aldo Galletto, secretary of the pontifical commission for cinema and television, when told of a report published abroad that the Vatican had been asked to support such a film to be made in honor of the Lourdes centenary.

"It certainly can be excluded that the Vatican would engage in any such activity."

Roman Catholic pilgrims are expected to flock next year to the shrine at Lourdes, France, where Bernadette Soubiroux, a 14-year-old girl, said she had a vision of the Virgin Mary on Feb. 11, 1858.

'NO-EL' NOT 'NAH-EL' SAY FRENCH-CANADIANS

OTTAWA (CP)—The government should act "at once" to have French-speaking CBC radio announcers pronounce "Noel" correctly, Senator Jean-Francois Pouliot (Lib., Quebec) said Thursday.

The French word for Christmas should be pronounced No-el, not Nah-el, he said in the Senate.

"It bores the people to hear the commentators say all the time Nah-el."

He asked the government leader, Senator John T. Haig, to take steps "at once, so it stops tonight."

COLLABORATION PLANNED

Penticton 'Scope To Aid Saanichton

The large radio telescope to be erected in a mountain valley near Penticton, will assist the research work of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory at Saanichton, Dr. R. M. Petrie, observatory director, said today.

"Results from the observations of the radio telescope should be useful to astronomers here," he said. "We certainly will be collaborating with them."

The federal government announced this week it has ordered construction of the telescope which will be 84 feet in diameter. Two other buildings will be erected on the Penticton site.

The telescope will pick up radio waves given off by all objects in the heavens.

HAPPY YULE FOR PRISONERS

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—For those who like cigars and candy, Christmas Eve will be brighter at Alcatraz prison. Each of the 280 prisoners will get a two-pound bag of hard candy, several candy bars and six cigars.

Margaret Offered Job As Narrator on Jazz

LONDON (AP)—The Daily Herald says Princess Margaret has received a request from an American record firm to be narrator on a record album of jazz.

The 27-year-old princess is a jazz enthusiast and a talented pianist—with emphasis on modern musical moods.

The Herald says a proposal that the princess make recordings came from the Tops Record Co. of New York which, it states is planning an "all-nations record album of jazz."

It adds part of the proposal is that royalties from sales would be paid to any charity nominated by the princess. A Buckingham Palace spokesman declined to confirm that such an offer is being considered.

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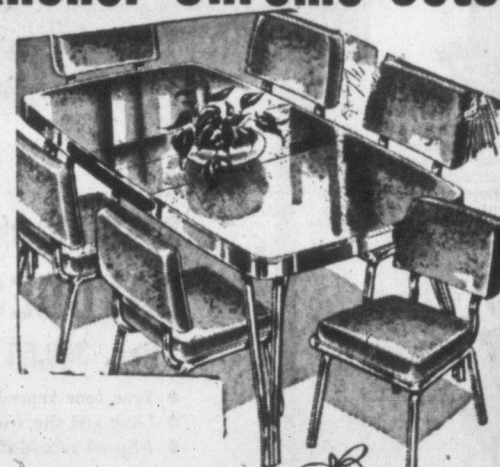
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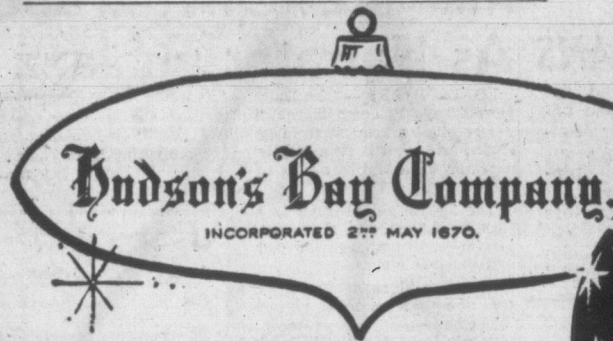
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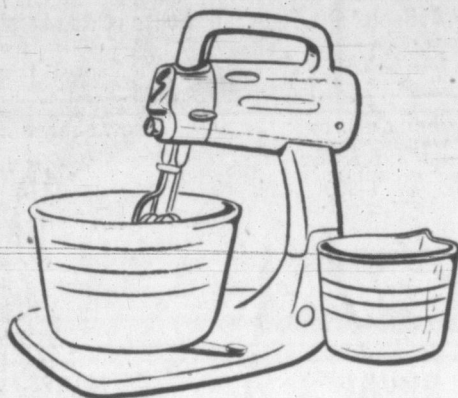
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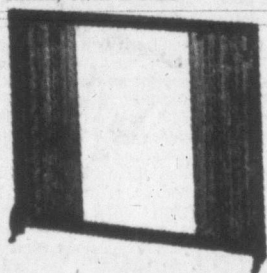
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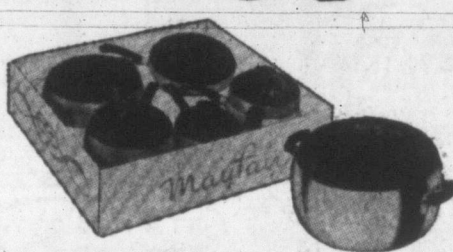
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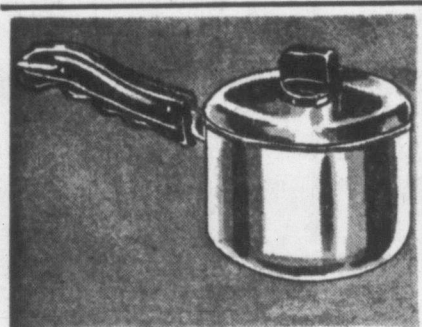
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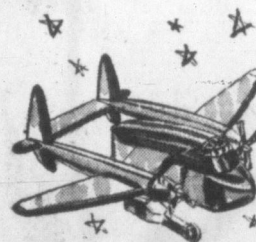
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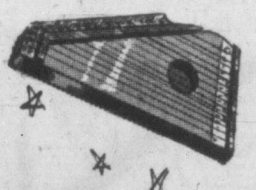
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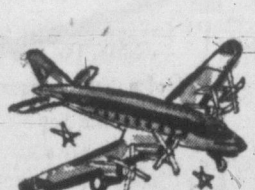
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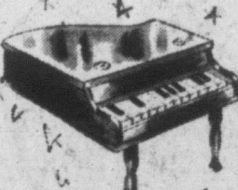
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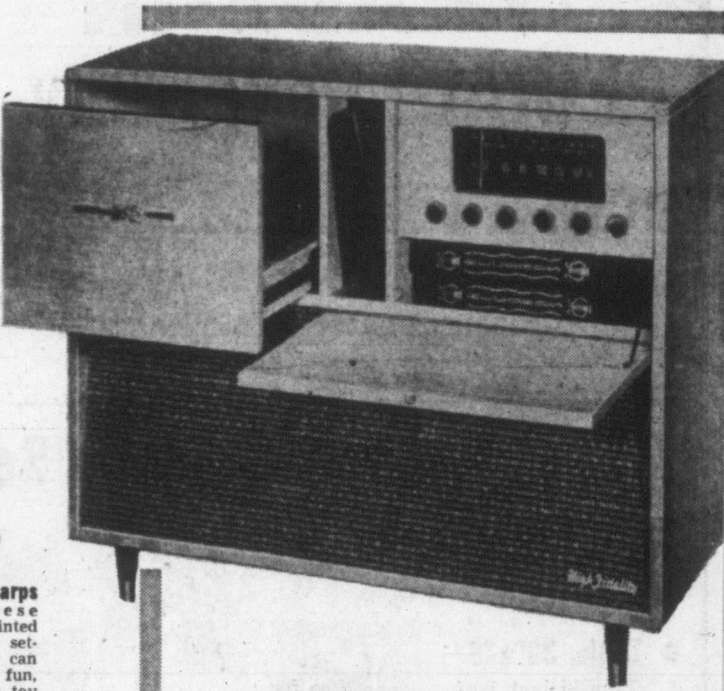
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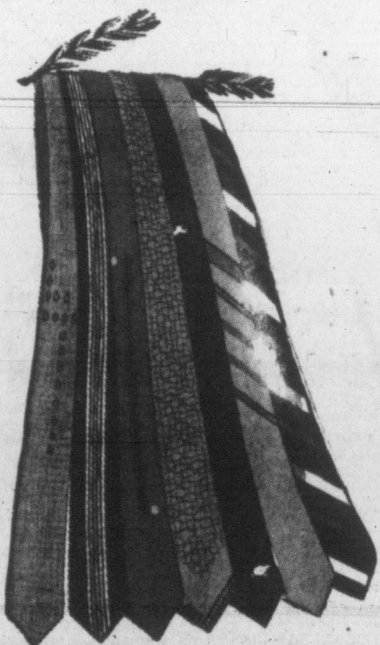
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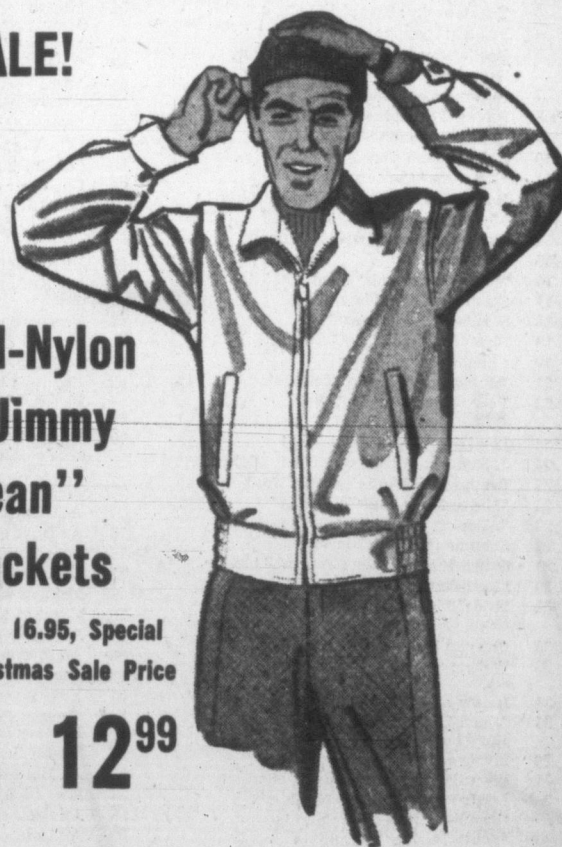


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All-Nylon "Jimmy Dean" Jackets

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The perfect gift for Dad, Brother, Son . . . He'll be right in style in one of these rugged Jimmy Dean jackets . . . neatly tailored and fully cut for good appearance and comfort, full nylon fleece lining for warmth, all nylon shell for strength and water-repellency. Available in handsome shades of red, powder blue, dark blue, or aqua.

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Please turn the page for more exciting BAY Christmas values.

New Windstorm Due With Lashing Rain

A three-hour whole gale with hurricane-force gusts hit Victoria Thursday, leaving downed trees, smashed automobiles, power failures, and fallen TV aerials in its wake.

A renewed windstorm, with lashing rain, is expected today. Thursday's storm averaged winds of 50 miles per hour from 2 to 3 p.m.; 51 miles per hour from 3 to 4 p.m., and 51 miles per hour from 4 to 5 p.m.

Strongest gust was recorded between 2 and 3, when the Gonzales weather office measured a 77-mile-per-hour blast.

Winds over 65 miles per hour are regarded as hurricane force on the Beaufort scale.

Limb Hits Cars

Main damage caused by the storm was at the civil service parking lot, Government at Belleville, where a seven-ton limb was torn from an elm tree and smashed across six parked cars.

One of them, owned by Robert Davidson, Royal Oak Ave., superintendent of the public library commission, was a total loss.

The loss was covered by comprehensive insurance. It is believed the other cars also involved carried "comprehensive." Rough estimates of total damage at this one spot was upwards of \$5,000.

Workmen today started clearing away the fallen limb, and to remove the shattered trunk. A second elm tree nearly also will be removed, according to Clive Campbell, deputy minister of public works.

The trees were brought here from eastern Canada 80 years ago by the Spencer family. They are white elm, a strong but brittle tree.

500 Trouble Calls

B.C. Electric workmen faced the toughest job during the of the storms. In the three-hour period, close to 500 individual trouble calls were answered.

Mts of them were caused by "wind lash" of wires—two wires whipped together by the breeze, causing a short circuit to break the safety switch and plunge a small area in darkness.

Dozens of individual service lead-ins were cut off during the storm—more of them by falling TV antennae than by falling branches.

Despite force of the winds, shipping escaped damage. All small craft were safe in harbor as they obeyed gale warnings.

B.C. Power Commission also escaped storm damage.

Rash of Reports

But city police and firemen were kept on the hop as they answered a rash of storm trouble reports.

A "hot" wire was blown down in front of 810 Catherine, and police kept bystanders clear until it was repaired.

A 30-foot flagpole was ripped from the roof of the Chinese Free Mason Building, 619 Fisgard, falling across telephone and power lines. Capital Iron & Metal Works lost 70 to 80 sheets of tin flashing from the roof.

Mrs. Vera Shaw, 3202 Aldridge, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital at 2:05 p.m. after being cut in the ankle by glass from a broken street light at Yates and Douglas.

A pane of glass was blown from a Pacific Club window, denting a parked car on the street below. One of the many TV aerials which went down fell on a power line at 1525 Bay Street. Another live wire caused trouble at Skinner and Russell.

Pole Knocked Down

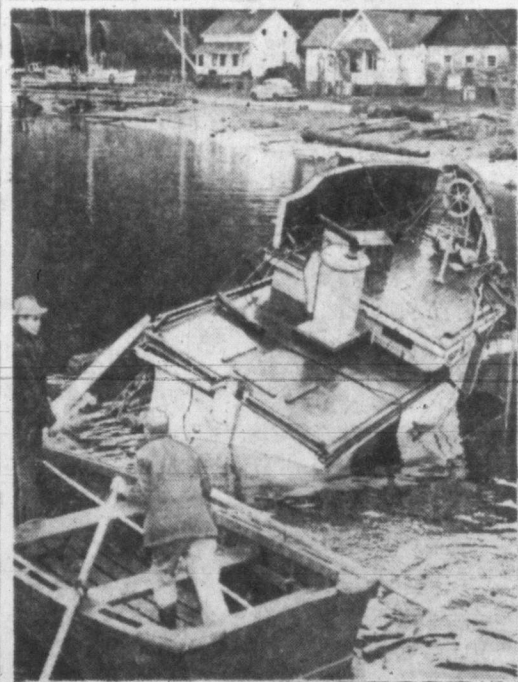
In Oak Bay, a telephone pole was knocked over on Milton, near Foul Bay Road; a tree branch hung over telephone lines on Monterey.

Saanich reported two trees downed, one on Hartland Road, one on West Saanich Road.

Victoria weatherman Bill Mackie said the storm was the latest in a series sweeping down from a low-pressure area in the Gulf of Alaska.

It was a fitting prelude to the official start of winter which falls on Saturday.

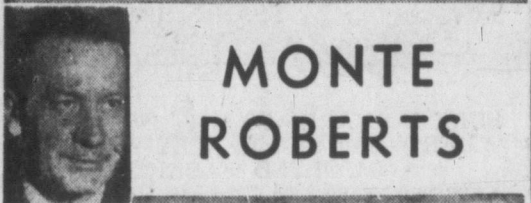
Today and Saturday share the distinction of being the two shortest days of the year, with sunrise at 8:03 a.m., sunset at 4:20 p.m., on both days.



THIS IS THE BOAT which last Saturday carried two Indian girls to their death in Georgia Strait, about three miles off Campbell River. It is the seiner Eva D1, which sank after hitting a piece of a breakwater. Twelve other children and eight adults escaped by clinging to a skiff. Boat is shown being raised from 50 feet of water. (CP Photo.)



Hurricane gust tore seven-ton branch from elm tree, crushed cars at civil service parking lot.



MONTE ROBERTS

People at all times of the year are apt to come up to me and ask me about dogs.

But at this time of the year, a great many more people are apt to come up to me and ask me about dogs.

For some reason, people seem to think I am interested in dogs, and that I know all about dogs.

Just to set the record straight, I am interested in dogs. Also cats, canaries, rabbits, chipmunks, horses, two-toed sloths, and you name it.

But I do NOT know all about dogs. I doubt if anyone knows all about dogs, and that includes dogs.

The reason, however, that more people come up to me at this time of year to ask about dogs than at any other time of year, is this:

The people wish to know where they can obtain a cute, cuddly little dog to give as a Christmas present.

There is nothing so cute as a cute little dog for a Christmas present, these people tell me, and please, where can they get one?

This question is easy enough to answer. There are many reputable kennels around and about these parts where dogs may be obtained at reasonable prices. And the SPCA small animal shelter usually has a good collection from which to choose.

But I am somewhat reluctant to provide the answer as to where a small, cute, cuddly dog can be obtained for Christmas present giving purposes.

The reason being so many cute, cuddly little dogs are given out as Christmas presents.

And they are the centre of attraction at the Christmas tree festivities, the object of much hugging and cuddling and ooh's and aah's, and over-feeding of rich, spicy foods which shouldn't happen to a human, let alone a dog.

Then, when Christmas has faded into the past, what happens?

The cute, cuddly little dog—who was cutely cuddled within an inch of his life—goes the way of most Christmas toys.

His novelty wears off, he becomes a nuisance, and the only reason he isn't thrown on the scrap heap is, there is a law against this.

That is why, when people come up to me at this time of year and ask me about dogs, I am more apt to give them a lecture than information.

The subject of the lecture being, please think twice before giving a small, cute cuddly dog as a Christmas present.

Think once about the pleasure the present will give to the recipient.

And think again about the pleasure the recipient will give to the present.

TOPICS OF THE DAY

The beautiful bells of Christ Church Cathedral will peal on three special occasions this Christmas season to gladden the hearts of listeners.

They will ring from 11 to 11:30 p.m. Christmas Eve, again on Christmas Day for the 10:30 morning service and on New Year's Eve they will mark the passing of the old year and entrance of the new.

A concert party sponsored by Britannia Branch Canadian Legion, was held at Mountain View Home Thursday night. Present with the concert troupe were branch president Peter Cairns and entertainment chairman, Les Kelly. Cigarettes and other treats were distributed with refreshments. The home is operated by the city for aged men.

A lunch-time program of songs, carols and rounds was given by the 60-voice Rotary boys choir to members of the club on Thursday.

Led by conductor Bill Hastings and accompanied by Mrs. Helen McVie the boys, ranging in age from seven to 17, dealt equally competently with carols, three-part rounds and such songs as the popular, rhythmic "Dry Bones."

A Victoria pedestrian who crossed Quadra at North Park Street Thursday night and was in collision with a car being driven south on Quadra is in good condition at St. Joseph's Hospital today.

James Cruickshanks, 304 Caledonia, received head injuries in the accident. Driver of the car was Isabel E. McLean, 2837 Fifth Street, city police said.

Boy's Condition 'Fairly Good'

A seven-year-old boy who dodged between parked cars Thursday afternoon to cross Gorge Road near Garbally, is in "fairly good" condition today at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Jacob Larsen, 395 Gorge, was in collision with a car driven west on Gorge by Dorothy E. Copley, 2833 Adelaide, city police said.

The boy's condition was described as poor on arrival at hospital. He received leg and internal injuries. The boy's condition improved following an operation.

Ronald Barker, Vancouver, was fined \$50 in city police court today for false pretences. He had pleaded guilty to the charge of passing worthless cheques to the value of \$20 in Victoria. Restitution has been made, court was told.

A sum of \$65 was collected at the Glenlyon Preparatory School's annual Christmas concert for presentation to the Queen Alexandra Solarium. The concert, held at St. Mary's Hall Wednesday, featured a pageant in eight scenes depicting the main points in British Columbia history, a short school play, skits, the singing of carols by Form III, and a pantomime "Jack and the Beanstalk" by Form IV.

Slight head injuries were received by Patricia Monk, 24, of 51 Gorge, when a car driven west on Gorge Road by her husband, Ronald A. Monk, was in collision with a car being driven south on Albany by Robert N. McMath, 2870 Foul Bay, early today.

Mrs. Monk was treated at St. Joseph's Hospital and discharged.

Lee Chew, of Lee's Food Market, 3297 Douglas, was fined \$15 in Saanich police court Thursday for allowing his store to be open for the serving of customers Sunday, Sept. 22.

Sale of the main block of the old Colonist Building to F. W. Woolworth Company, was announced Thursday by Eddy Mallek, former owner. The property adjoins the rear of Woolworth's Douglas Street store. Future expansion of the store could now provide a Broad Street entrance, but plans are indefinite at this stage.

Mrs. H. E. Hunt, 63, 136 Olive, received a fractured shoulder when she fell down a flight of stairs at her home Thursday at 2 p.m. She was taken by city police to St. Joseph's Hospital.

Children of 5th Independent Medium Battery, RCA (Res) personnel hold their annual Christmas party tonight at 7:30 p.m. at Bay Street Armories. More than 100 children are expected to attend. Carols will be sung, entertainment provided, and Christmas "treats" distributed.

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ELK LAKE SCENIC DRIVE PROPOSED BY SAANICH

A plan to construct a scenic drive along the west shore of Elk Lake was outlined to city council today.

Saanich council, by letter, said it is "prepared to buy" some privately-owned land for that purpose. Present road leading into the area is on city-owned land.

Saanich asked if the city would dedicate the required strip of city property as a park, provided Saanich acquires and dedicates the balance of the property necessary to complete the drive.

The matter came to Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee for consideration earlier, but was tabled for more information. It is not expected to be dealt with until the new year.

PRINCESS' VISIT

Her Laughing Eyes Margaret's Forte

By NORMAN CRIBBENS

When Princess Margaret arrives here July 12, Victorians will have their first glimpse of a dainty, vivacious young woman with laughing violet eyes, brown hair and a fair flawless skin.

I had a close-up view of her in London in October, 1952, when she attended the premiere of Charlie Chaplin's "Limelight" at the Empire Theatre, Leicester Square.

On that occasion many of us likened her to "a fairy princess" as in a flowing gown of white lace she tripped daintily into the foyer of the theatre and received the homage of Chaplin and a host of other celebrities gathered to welcome her.

The little comedienne, then under a political cloud in the

United States bowed low as he took the princess' tiny hand and said:

"Your Highness, I am deeply honored."

Margaret greeted almost everyone in the foyer (excepting the press) and during the performance of Chaplin's tragedy-comedy she was seen to be weeping and laughing alternately.

After the show, she approached Chaplin and his leading lady, Claire Bloom, with sparkling eyes and told them in simple, unaffected terms how much she had enjoyed their work.

WIDE POPULARITY

She has often been called "The Sweetheart of the Empire" but her appeal extends far beyond the British Commonwealth.

The world has watched her grow from a mischievous child into a poised young woman—but she has never lost her quick wit or her gift of mimicry—sometimes a source of embarrassment to the Royal Family.

In a moment of ecstasy, a London newspaper once spoke of her eyes as "the most beautiful in the world."

A few days later, while dancing at Buckingham Palace, Margaret said to her partner: "Look into my eyes. There now, do you appreciate that you are gazing into the most beautiful eyes in the world?" While her partner fumbled for the right answer, she teasingly replied:

"Don't you believe what you read in the newspapers?" Margaret has never been to North America before but she has traveled widely in other countries, including South Africa, the West Indies, Italy, Switzerland and France.

In 1949 she was received by Pope Pius XII in Rome. When they met in the Vatican library, Margaret bowed and Pius XII made a gesture of raising her. She did not kiss the fisherman's ring on the Pope's right hand, which is a symbol of his spiritual authority over the world's Roman Catholics.

Although many Anglicans objected to her calling on the Pope, her meeting with him was acclaimed everywhere as a diplomatic triumph.

Civil Service Talks Bog Down

Public Hearing Request May Go to Chief Justice



TONY GARGRAVE ... planning needed

Boat Service Revamping Asked By MLA

A "planned reorganization" of steamship services along the B.C. coast was called for today by Tony Gargrave, CCF MLA for Mackenzie.

Mr. Gargrave said planning is needed if the coast is to develop.

He made the proposal in commenting on the announced withdrawal by Union Steamships Ltd. from passenger service on the coast.

ALERT HIM

Mr. Gargrave, whose far-spread riding is affected by the move, said he has wired federal Transport Minister George Hees to "alert him to the danger of isolation faced by lower coast communities."

"These steamer services have the same significance as roads," the MLA said. "In many cases the Union Steamships is the one and only source of public transportation."

"Communications of all kinds is a public matter and cannot be left to chance or emergency arrangements."

ENDS JAN. 2

Union Steamships announced Wednesday it will give up its passenger service Jan. 2.

The announcement was made after Transport Minister Hees disclosed the company's request for an additional subsidy had been rejected.

Mr. Hees said continuation of the Union service was "an unjustifiable expenditure of public funds."

Mr. Gargrave said today that planning of coastal steamship services should include federal subsidies if they are necessary.

Executive of the B.C. Government Employees' Association will hold a special meeting Monday to consider their next move in the dispute with the government over bargaining rights.

It is considered likely the civil servants will ask Chief Justice Gordon Sloan to hold a public hearing on the issue.

Both sides met with the chief justice Thursday in continuation of negotiations underway since he was appointed as a one-man board of reference last July.

Ed O'Connor, general secretary of the association, said the meeting "reached a point of disagreement."

Mr. O'Connor said the government rejected the association's demand for implementation by legislation of a regulated bargaining procedure for civil servants.

The association has requested that government employees be given the same bargaining rights as other workers in the province.

The government takes the stand this would be "inconsistent with Canadian constitutional practices."

At the Monday meeting, the association executive will decide whether to ask Chief Justice Sloan to make a ruling on this point.

It was also learned that the Chief Justice will continue the

Police Chief's Mother Dies

Mrs. Catherine Blackstock, mother of Police Chief John Blackstock of Victoria, died Thursday night at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Born in Campbellton, Scotland, she arrived in Victoria in 1904. Her home was at 3969 Gordon Head Road.

Surviving are the husband, James MacMillan Blackstock; a daughter, Mrs. Douglas Campbell, and four sons, John, William, James and Douglas, all of Victoria.

Funeral service will be held Monday at 1:30 p.m. at McCall's, and interment will take place at Hatley Memorial Gardens.

TRAFFIC FINES

In city police court today: Horace Edward Nix, 329 Huntington, \$35 for careless driving, \$35 for no driver's licence.

Andrew and Cathleen Morrison, Burnside Food Market, 101 Burnside Road West, \$10 for employing an unlicensed chauffeur.

Keith Murray Ludbrook, 3155 Glasgow, \$25 for speeding in 30-mph zone.

Kenneth Raymond Alexander, 2356 Oak, \$25 for speeding in 30-mph zone.

Mead Hepworth, 4265 Quadra, \$25 for speeding in 30-mph zone.

George James, 401 Cook, \$35 and licence suspended for careless driving.

Marjorie Fortye, 1045 Belmont, \$35 and licence suspended for careless driving.

Eva L. Hammond, Sidney, \$10 for driving wrong way in one-way traffic.

2 Sentenced To 1 Year In Coil Theft

Robert Clifford McMullen and Thomas Peter Baxter, both of Vancouver, each were sentenced in city police court today to one year in jail for theft of 15 metal coils from Capital Iron and Metals Ltd. Dec. 5.

The sentence will be served concurrently with three-year terms imposed in Central Saanich court Thursday, for robbery of scrap metal from the Todd Inlet unit of B.C. Cement Co.

City police court was told Wednesday McMullen and Baxter had sold two loads of scrap to Capital Iron and Metals.

Baxter testified he had later left McMullen at Brentwood Auto Court and "more or less drove around and I spotted these coils. ... I guess they were in the Capital Iron yard."

Baxter pleaded guilty to the charge of theft under \$50. McMullen pleaded not guilty but was found guilty.

The two men were stopped by Duncan RCMP about seven miles north of Duncan Dec. 6, and 1,600 lbs. of coils were found in their U-drive car.

ASK THE TIMES

Q.—How many FM stations can be picked up on a good radio in Victoria? How many of these broadcast in multiplex? —J.S.

A.—There are five FM stations, Victoria's CKDA, and in Vancouver, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland. Multiplex is the simultaneous broadcast of programs over both FM and AM. Usually the same programs are broadcast over both. For proper FM reception a dipole aerial should be used.

Q.—How many persons follow the teachings of the Koran? —K.P.

A.—About 225,000,000 follow the dictates of the sacred book of the Mohammedans. The Koran is the standard of all law and practice among devout Muslims.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the problem along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.





SHOPPING GUIDE

Eat Light Foods on Weekend If You Would Enjoy Yuletide

By PENNY SAVER

There's going to be a great deal of eating going on next week and it will be a surprise if we all don't finish the Yule season a good few pounds heavier.

This weekend, I thought we'd stick to light foods and give all the rich turkey, gravies, mince pies and pudding a rest before the big day. Are you with me? Good, because we're going vegetable and fruit shopping!

What a sight! I'm thinking 'bout the produce stands that boast vegetables and fruit that are crisp and colorful.

Here it's December (and nearly the end of the month) and carrots are still making a bright appearance in the produce shops. They are fresh too, just as if they had been pulled out of the moist earth this morning. They're delicious... especially when you eat them hot with loads of fast melting butter! Hop into your car and step on the gas 'cause they come at two bunches for 19 cents.

Celery is only 19 cents, so you can throw a stalk or two into a fresh, tossed salad for an extra bit of interest.

For the dieters in the house, it has been said that celery is one of the most filling, low-calorie vegetables!

Other little salad "touchers" are the fresh field tomatoes on the stands today. A bright addition to your "winter wonder" salad! Tomatoes are selling at 25 cents a pound.

"Winter Wonder Salad." A fine name for a salad that's full of vegetables. Choose the vegetables you're going to place in your salad bowl carefully and we guarantee that your family will love it!

If your family is small, a box of Mandarin oranges hangs around for a long time. Solution is—buy your oranges by the pound. At two pounds for 39 cents you can keep the fruit bowl filled to the brim.

Of course, if you have a large family then the economical way is to buy boxes of these popular oranges. They will go so fast. Eat little this weekend my friends! Save all your energies for the Christmas feasts ahead.

If you're interested in the light diet for Sunday telephone me at 2-3131.

A TIP!

Here's a glorious presentation for Christmas dinner—a rich pudding served in bursts of flame. Sound difficult and tricky? Not at all. Just dip cubes of sugar in lemon or orange extract enough to moisten. Arrange them around the cake, then ignite and serve forth in glamor.

TODAY'S RECIPE

ALMOND BRITTLE

One and a third cups granulated sugar, 2/3 cups brown sugar (packed), few grains salt, 1/3 cup light corn syrup, 1/3 cup water, 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, 2 teaspoons vanilla, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 cup roasted unblanched almonds.

Combine sugars, salt, corn syrup and water in saucepan, and stir over low heat until sugar is dissolved. Bring to boil, add butter and cook without stirring to hard crack stage (300 degrees F.) or until syrup separates into hard brittle threads when dropped into cold water. Remove from heat and stir in vanilla, soda and almonds. Turn out onto greased baking sheet. When cool enough to handle, pull edges out to make candy thin. Mark into squares with sharp knife while still warm. Cool thoroughly and break along marks.

Makes about 1 1/2 pounds candy.

Annual party—Members of the Victoria Women's Institute met recently in Orange Hall for their annual Christmas party. A pot-luck luncheon was served at tables decorated with holly and red candles. During the afternoon color slides were shown by Mrs. Stella Gummow on her recent trip around the world. Gifts were exchanged and afternoon tea served.

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By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

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Q—"It seems to me that I have an unusual problem. I am 21, 5 feet 1 inch tall and weigh 120 pounds. My measurements are bust 34, waist 26, hips 39, thighs 20 and calves 14 inches. I realize that I am about 15 pounds overweight, but try as I may I can't seem to lose any where except in my face and I can't afford to lose there. Please tell me what to do for the last three measurements. The exercises cannot be too strenuous because I am trying to become pregnant and already have had two miscarriages."

A.—You should not take the exercises at this time. During pregnancy walking is the best exercise and, since you are subject to miscarriages, only as much of that as your doctor prescribes.

However, when you can exercise, and for others of my readers who wish to lose in the thighs and hips, here are a few: 1. Thighs: Stand facing the wall and place the hands on the wall for support. Bend the left knee up high. Straighten the leg as you kick back vigorously, feeling the flesh shake. Bend the knee—kick. Continue for a while with the left leg and then do the same thing with the right.

2. For hips and thighs: Lie on the floor on your back with your arms resting on the floor, extending straight out from the

shoulder pits. Palms cling to the floor and legs are straight. Roll from side to side, going as far in each direction as possible. 3. The calves are difficult to reduce. This is one of the best exercises I know for this: Sit on the floor with your legs resting on the floor in front of you. Bend the left knee. Grasp the left ankle with your hands. Straighten the left leg, and as you do, pull the hands down the

leg in a strong massage. Bend the leg again and continue. After a time do the same thing with the right leg.

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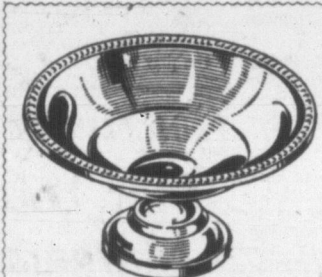
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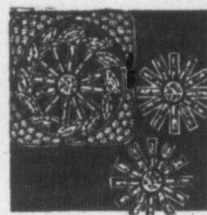
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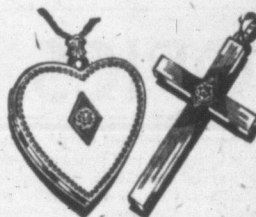
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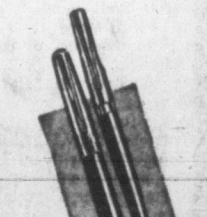


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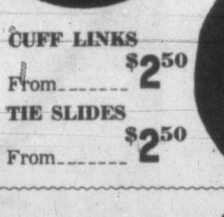
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St. Nick Comes in Door; Sweets Deck Trees Recall Mother and Daughter From Yugoslavia

By KITTY DIXON

Celebrating Christmas the Canadian way are Yugoslavians, Mrs. Fannie Pusnik and her 15-year-old daughter Erica.

They'll eat turkey and plum pudding and have a tree trimmed with all manner of glittering, store-bought baubles. They'll even concede that Santa comes down the chimney instead of through the door as he does "at home."

But the new Canadians of just four months share fond

memories of Yugoslavia at Christmastime.

Her words translated into English by Mrs. A. J. Tullis, Mrs. Pusnik told of the Yugoslavian Christmas tree.

"It is so different from your Canadian Christmas tree because all decorations are hand made by members of the family. There are cookies, cakes and sweets baked in symbolic shapes such as stars, hanging from the branches."

Santa's visit to Yugoslavia is far more tangible than the

secretive one he makes to Canada, for children are permitted to wait up for his arrival, which is on Christmas night.

"St. Nicholas," as he is known, is one of the townspeople who, appropriately disguised, visits every house with treats for the youngsters.

As for presents children find under the tree... they are gifts from their parents. There's no secret about that.

It's much easier to believe in Yugoslavia's St. Nicholas! St. Nicholas is considered a

protector from evil. At each house he shoos the "little devils" from the door. Devils are enacted by several young men dressed in black with horns and big red tongues.

Celebrations on Christmas Eve are of a religious nature, highlighted by a villagers' procession at nightfall from a nearby mountaintop to the church. They carry lighted torches, illuminating the mountainside in a brilliant zig-zag pattern.

Mrs. Pusnik, who already speaks four languages, is picking up her fifth—English—quickly. And Erica, who attends special classes for New Canadians at George Jay School, can already speak quite fluently.

AN ESCAPE

The Pusniks left Yugoslavia to escape Communism. "You cannot live there without being subjected to Communist thought," says Mrs. Pusnik. "Erica would often come home from school in tears because her ideas did not conform, and she refused to accept what she was being taught."

Mrs. Pusnik and Erica are living at St. Margaret's School, where Mrs. Pusnik is employed as a housekeeper. In Yugoslavia she did bookkeeping.

Fannie and Erica Pusnik are looking forward to Christmas festivities in Victoria even though they will be far different from last year's celebrations in Yugoslavia.

True Christmas spirit is the same the world over, as Mrs. Pusnik proved when she brought out her guitar and, with her daughter, softly sang "Sveeta Noch".... "Silent Night" to us, to us.



Fannie Pusnik, right, and her daughter Erica, spend many happy hours singing songs of their Yugoslavian homeland. (Photo by Irving Strickland.)



FINISHING TOUCHES

Getting into the holiday mood are student nurses Margaret Philpot, Marilyn Graham, Midge Wilkinson, Wilma Brodick and Lael MacDonald, left to right, pictured putting finishing touches on their Christmas tree before changing into party clothes for the student nurses' Christmas party, Thursday evening, in the Pink Room of Royal Jubilee Hospital School of Nursing. Guests at the party included members of the hospital board of directors, faculty of the school and Santa Claus, who arrived to distribute gifts. Christmas Eve, the student nurses' choir, directed by Miss Laurine McLeod, will sing carols to patients throughout the hospital. The girls held a carol service, Wednesday evening in Pemberton Chapel.

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OF PERSONAL INTEREST

Five Months in Europe

Christmas in Lisbon, Portugal, is in store for Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Craig, who left this morning by air for a five-month tour of Europe. They plan to spend January in Madeira, Spain.

Christening

In St. Peter's Protestant Church at Belmont Park on Christmas Sunday, four-week-old Dawn Louise Yates will be christened. She is the baby daughter of L/S and Mrs. Raymond Yates, 414 Thetis Crescent. Padre E. S. Radcliffe will officiate at the ceremony and godparents will be Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lawrence of Vancouver for whom L/S and Mrs. Edward Mayo will stand proxy. The baby's maternal grandmother is Mrs. Clarice Lewis and the paternal grandmother, Mrs. A. M. Yates, both of New Westminster.

Students to Carol

On Sunday evening, students of Victoria College will go Christmas carolling. Leaving the college at 7.30, they will proceed to the homes of members of the Victoria College faculty where they will wish professors and their families "Merry Christmas" in song. In charge of arrangements is Miss Peggy Standen.

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Christmas Luncheon

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Miss Kathleen Agnew will entertain a party of 12 at the luncheon. In another party will be Mr. Rob Roy McGregor and Mrs. Marian M. Jones. Following the luncheon, a children's party will be held. Santa Claus will be present and will present gifts to the 60 children attending. Len Acres will play the piano for singing and refreshments are to be served.

Home for Christmas

Coming from the University of British Columbia this weekend for the Christmas season is Mr. Peter Dawe. He will stay with his mother, Mrs. A. T. Dawe, on Neil Street.

Yule Square Dance

It will be "swing your partner" in a Christmas mood at the Spinning Stars square dance group party on Saturday evening. The teen-agers, led by Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Dunn, will dance, sing carols and play games in the gaily-decorated Woodsworth Hall on Courtney Street. Refreshments in buffet style will be served.

A Surprise

When Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McMillan, 971 Lodge Street, returned from a trip to England and Scotland recently, a surprise party was given in their honor at the Cowichan Street home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Mearns. Attending the party

were immediate relatives and friends of the honor guests.

Arriving

Col. J. N. Edgar and Mrs. Edgar will have as their guests over the Christmas holiday, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Bishop of Chilliwack. Also coming to spend the holiday with his parents at their home on Falkland Road is Mr. David Edgar who is studying at the University of British Columbia.

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Rev. J. A. Roberts performed the ceremony.

The church was decorated with pink and white chrysanthemums for the wedding. T. R. Myers played the organ.

Entering the church on the arm of her brother-in-law, D. T. Utley, the bride wore a ballerina-length gown of imported white lace and net. The fitted waistline held a fully-gathered tulle skirt, and the bodice was trimmed with sequins. A little lace jacket with Hly point sleeves and Elizabethan collar topped the gown for the ceremony. The chapel-length veil was held with a tiny coronet and the bride carried a bouquet of red roses and white carnations.

As the only attendant, the bride's sister Mrs. D. T. Utley wore a silk organza gown in a spring green shade. Her head-

piece was of spring green feathers in bandeau style. She carried a bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums.

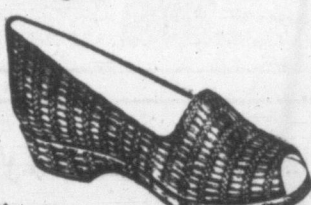
Best man was Edward Taylor and ushers included Derek T. Cox and M. R. Taylor.

Major V. L. White proposed a toast to the bride's happiness at a reception in Dulcie's Banquet Hall, following the wedding. The bride's table was centred with a three-tier cake topped with roses.

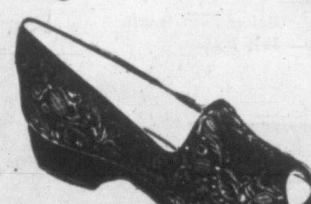
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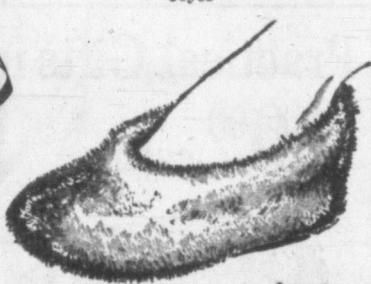


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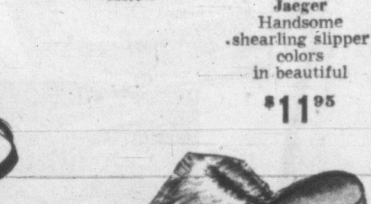
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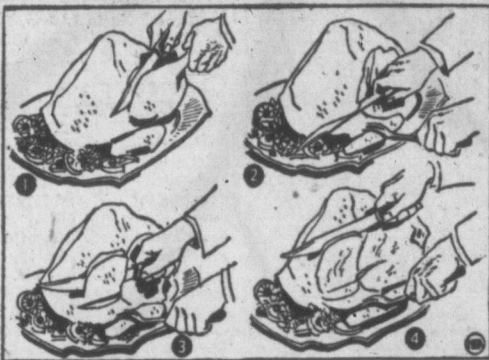
Step-by-Step Procedure Makes The Carving of a Turkey Easy

The holidays mean lots of turkeys in the house. Therefore, each family should have at least one member who knows how to carve well.

Let the turkey "rest" 15 to 20 minutes before carving. Cut the strip of skin holding the legs in place. Avoid overcrowding the platter with garnishes. Place the turkey on large flat platter directly in front of the carver, breast at the carver's left. Have a sharp carving knife, a long-pronged fork and dinner plates handy.

Place the knife between the thigh and body of the turkey and slash through the skin to the joint. Separate the entire leg from the body by pressing the leg outward with the knife during cutting and by bending the leg back away from the body with the fork or with the left hand holding the leg bone. Cut off slices of dark meat from the leg. The thigh and drumstick may be separated at the joint.

Insert the fork firmly into the upper wing. With the knife, make a long cut above the wing joint, through the body frame. If desired, the wing can be disjointed from the body by cut-



ting through the skin as the fork presses the wing away from the body.

Slice downward with straight, even strokes, beginning halfway up the breast. When the knife reaches the incision above the wing bone, the slice of white meat will fall free.

Continue slicing the breast by beginning the cut at a higher point each time, until the crest of the bone is reached. Carve enough white and dark meat for all guests before serving the plates.

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CHRISTMAS GIFTS

OTTAWA (CP)—Christmas shoppers in the capital have little excuse to hum and haw when it comes to gift selection.

For the fourth consecutive year, the National Industrial Design Council's design centre here is featuring a display of gifts. All items cost less than \$15.

More than 300 gift suggestions—ranging from a travelling bird-cage to a four-way can opener—are shown on long, low tables in the centre's showrooms.

Items include toys, ceramics, sports equipment and kitchen gadgets as well as miscellaneous gifts.



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She Digs for Prehistoric Sites in Baluchistan

LONDON (CP)—Few people have the opportunity to follow up an imaginative notion, especially if it means travelling to the wilds of Pakistan.

But Beatrice de Cardi, a British woman who worked for a British government department in Karachi in 1947, can claim to be one of the lucky ones. For she not only followed through a plan to search for prehistoric sites in the Baluchistan area of Pakistan, but she is the only woman to have carried out excavations in that part of the world.

The idea came to Miss de Cardi after she read an article about prehistoric pottery found in the Quetta region of northern Baluchistan.

"I had always been deeply interested in archaeology," says Miss de Cardi, "and the article fired my imagination to such an extent I became intent on chasing up some sites for myself."

When her annual leave came round she borrowed a jeep and driver and went off to the wilds where she discovered a number of early occupation mounds that aroused the interest of the Pakistan government.

Later, Miss de Cardi's job took her to Lahore and from there she used her leave to investigate unexplored parts of Afghanistan. This trip lasted five weeks but proved rather disappointing, since she only found one site.

In 1949, Miss de Cardi became assistant secretary of the Council for British Archaeology in London. A smartly clad and neatly coiffured brunette, she supervises the administration and public schemes organized by the council, co-ordinating body of British archaeological societies.

Last July, Miss de Cardi returned to Baluchistan to follow up her Quetta findings. In four months she covered 16,000 miles, travelling by car, camel and on horseback. Now she is working on a report for the Pakistan government.



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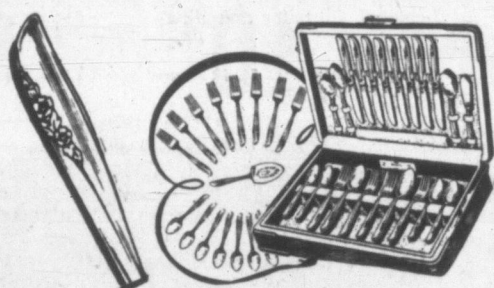
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- B. White satin and silver-beaded bag, corded lining. **\$10.00**
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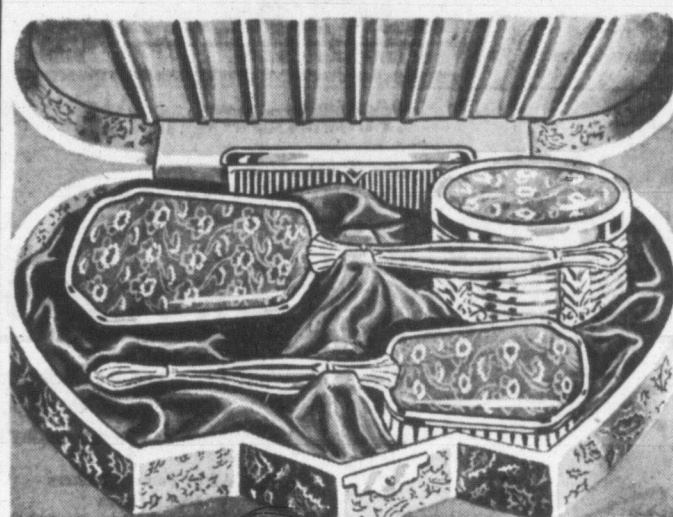
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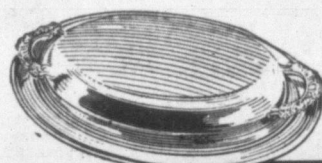
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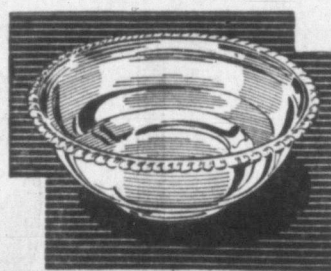


Sauce Boat and
Tray, ½ pint.

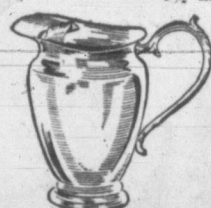


Salad Bowl with Silver
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Servers.

Hot Meat Platter,
length 16 inches.



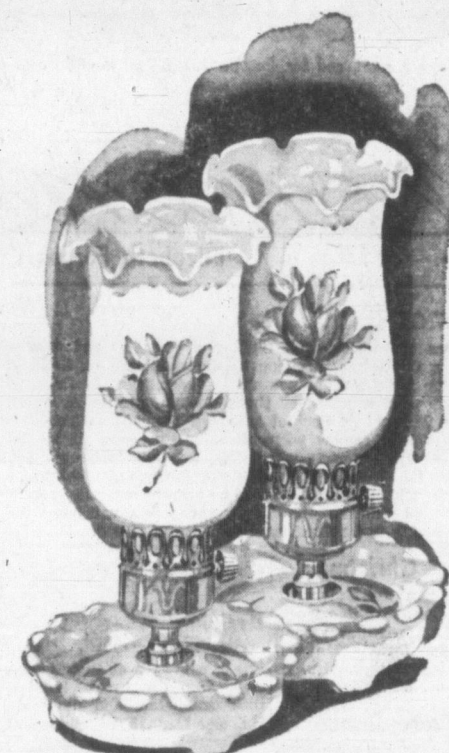
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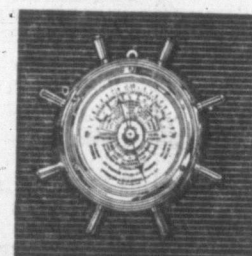
Water Pitcher,
2-pint capacity.



Dessert Set, sugar and
cream on tray.

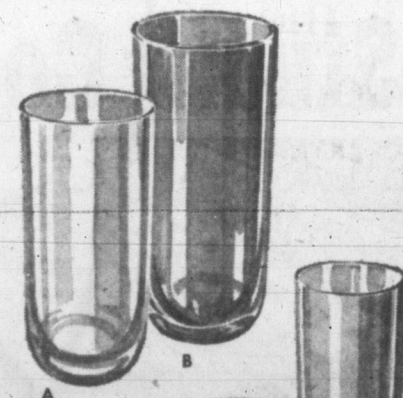


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- B. 14-oz. Tumbler, set of 8. **\$3.75**
- C. 7-oz. Old Fashioned, set of 8. **\$3.50**
- D. For 12-oz. set of 8. **\$2.50**

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BIRKS

PHONE 2-4241

ON SATURDAY

A Children's Party Planned In Empress Hotel Ballroom



Among those who will trip gaily around the Crystal Ballroom on Saturday to the music of the Homeowners will be David Henderson and Beverly Porter. It's the annual children's fancy dress Christmas party sponsored by Major John Hebdon Gillespie Chapter, IOOE. David will attend in clown suit and Beverly as a dainty Dutch maid.

LOUISE DAVIS

On Etiquette

GIFT FOR ANNIVERSARY PARTY

We have received an invitation to a reception to be given by some neighbors who will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. We are not close friends or long-time neighbors, but they have been very nice to our small children. Please suggest something moderate in price that we can take as a gift or remembrance. May we take the children along? The invitation is addressed just to Mr. and Mrs.

LOUISE DAVIS ANSWERS

It is difficult for an outsider to suggest the kind of gift to send a couple celebrating a wedding anniversary. When in doubt, flowers are always acceptable. If you decide on them, I suggest that you order them from a florist and have them delivered on the anniversary day. Yellow, such as roses, would be nice, for the color suggests gold. If you decide to purchase a gift, have it delivered (even by mail) a day or so beforehand rather than take it with you when you attend the party, for handling and opening gifts during the reception would be confusing and awkward. Another suggestion is to send a telegram of congratulations. If the couple had wanted to invite your children to the reception, they would have had their names on the envelope. So don't take them.

Of Personal Interest

For Holidays

Coming from the University of British Columbia on Sunday to spend the Christmas holiday is Mr. John Howe. He will stay with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Howe at their home on Cook Street.

Special Party

Mrs. A. H. Findlay, volunteer visitor for the Silver Threads Service, entertained a group of elderly women at her home on Woodstock Avenue on Wednesday afternoon. Small gifts were distributed and refreshments served. Mrs. Sorenson and Mrs. W. R. Thoroughgood assisted the hostess. The guests were Mrs. E. Slack, Mrs. E. Roper, Mrs. G. Evans, Miss E. Wood, Miss N. McCarthy, Mrs. B. Cartnell, Mrs. Norma Neiner, Mrs. E. Hewartson, Mrs. C. Mahen and Mrs. E. Switzer. This group of ladies gather once a week to knit for the Family and Children Service. A special guest at the party was Mr. Glen Hamilton, director of the Silver Threads Service.

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Toy soldiers, cowboys and pretty little girls with dollies will be seen among the young-ling set at the party. Here Maureen Rogers, Douglas Jull, Yvonne Norrington and

Neal Henderson, left to right, model the costumes they will wear for the occasion. Prizes will be awarded for the most outstanding and original costumes following a grand march. The party will be held from 3 to 5 p.m.

FOR THE 'LITTLE WOMAN'

Husband Who Forgets Wife's Right Size Gives Trouble to Personal Gift Shopper

MONTREAL (BUP)—Few

men have trouble remembering

the head-to-toe measurements

of such glamor girls as Marilyn

Munroe and Jayne Mansfield

but when it comes to their

wives men are bashfully under-

estimating, according to profes-

sional shopper Dorothy Booth.

"Men buying Christmas pre-

sents always picture their own

wives tinier than they are,"

said Mrs. Booth, a personal gift

shopper for Montreal's Holt

Renfrew department store. She

helps anybody with a gift prob-

lem, but mainly busy and bash-

ful men.

One of Mrs. Booth's biggest

problems is men who try and

describe their wife by compar-

ing her to salesgirls or the con-

ventional gesture of the hands.

"Men would certainly be a

boost to me if they'd carry little

notes or cards listing their

wives' sizes in all clothing items

like gloves, nylons, sweaters

and lingerie," she said. "But

more and more men are catch-

ing on."

Lingerie is the husband's fa-

vorite choice for his wife's

Christmas present," she said,

"but they don't like making

their choice in public. Most of

the time they want to use a

dressing room to examine

lingerie."

Mrs. Booth's job lasts only

two months of the year, from

November to Christmas Eve.

"Then I collapse," she says.

"Frantic Fran" is what they

call me because I'm forever

running around looking for this

and that."

Attractive Mrs. Booth is mad

about shopping so it's no won-

der she runs the gift service.

She shops with customers in

person, by mail or telephone

and keeps track of what regular

clients receive year after year

so gifts won't be duplicated.

Businessmen often have her

buy office presents. She says

they do this because they gener-

ally become bored looking

through the stores and out of

lack of patience, frequently end

up paying more for gifts than

they had intended.

"Secretaries and office girls

giggle and just love it when I

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ask them what they'd like for

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GISELE MACKENZIE SAYS:

Man She's Searching for Must Have Brains, Sex Appeal, Sense of Humor

NEW YORK (UP)—Gisele Mackenzie, one of the entertainment world's better-known bachelor girls, says the man who woos her into a wedding must be a combination of Gregory Peck, William Holden and Edward R. Murrow.

"These three have the qualities I'm looking for," said the 30-year-old television star. "They're smart, have sex appeal, a sense of humor."

It was suggested that this triple threat, wrapped into one tweed suit ought to be enough to lure any girl out of the old maid ranks.

"Nope," said Miss Mackenzie. "Just ask 'em. Most girls are looking for money, too. Me, I don't want a millionaire. I've enough problems without that one."

"Incidentally, can't somebody come up with another term for all us un-marrieds? We sure overwork bachelor-girl, spinster and old maid."

The vocalist, born in St. Boniface, Man., flew into New York from Hollywood, now her home base, for a few days of business and pleasure. She confessed in an interview that she had not met the man who could qualify as the one.

"But by the time a girl gets my age, if she's the least-bit attractive, she's been proposed to. Sure, I want to get married. But until the right one comes along, I feel like the movie starlet who said she was having a wonderful time going out with all the wrong ones."

"You may say, though, that I have a lot more working for me than some girls," she laughed. "I already own a mink coat and diamond ring. And my teeth are all in good repair."

She didn't say so, but her press agent declared she also can cook.

She was featured on the "Hit Parade" for four years. This fall, she launched her own television show. Although it hasn't set any records on Trendex, Gisele said the fan mail pours in.

"I get letters from grandpas and grandmas," she said. "From teenagers, and from both husbands and wives."

"Many of the women write me. Well, my husband likes you

... and in this case, I'm all for it."

"I've concluded," said Miss Mackenzie, "that I'm the epitome of the woman next door ... that I must look like every man's wife."

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Pearson Gives Peace Formula

Serious, Long-Range Talks With Russ Urged at Dinner by UN Association

By BRUCE LEVETT, Canadian Press Staff Writer
TORONTO (CP)—"Serious and far-reaching" consultations between the United States and Russia, based on power and diplomacy, were advocated by Lester B. Pearson Thursday night as a means to keep the North Atlantic Treaty Organization strong.

Mr. Pearson, the ex-newsboy who became president of the United Nations General Assembly and won the Nobel peace prize, gave his formula for peace to 2,000 persons honoring him at a dinner on Lester B. Pearson Day.

Civic officials said it was the first time in memory that Toronto had honored anyone by naming a day after him.

"If the United States, after discussions with its NATO allies, were now to make a move

—not necessarily through a summit conference—to open up serious and far-reaching consultations with the U.S.S.R. on certain outstanding problems, there is no reason in the world why that move should result in any weakening of the strength or unity of the alliance whatever," he said.

"On the contrary, if moves of this kind are not made and not attempted, that undesirable result may occur."

Presentation Moves Mother to Tears

With him at the dinner sponsored by the Canadian Institute of International Affairs and the United Nations Association in Canada, was Mrs. Edwin A. Pearson, his 89-year-old mother; his wife and Vaughan Pearson, his youngest brother.

His mother received a surprise presentation from the sponsors—a picture of her son receiving the \$40,000 Nobel award in Oslo last Dec. 7. She brushed away tears and kissed the picture as it was handed to her.

The sponsors presented a similar picture to Mr. Pearson's wife. Mr. Pearson received an illuminated scroll from the sponsors and a silver water jug from the City of Toronto.

Speaking of NATO, Mr. Pearson said:

"If an easing of fear brings about an impatience with the obligations and commitments for co-operation and consultation

with allies, then our coalition will be found to be too fragile a thing to survive a removal of the fear that brought it into being in the first place.

"That is the challenge and the dilemma facing NATO at this moment."

Mr. Pearson said the West must establish "a better peace than we now have . . . between the two worlds who now face each other across a frightening gap of fearful hostility and malevolent ignorance."

" . . . we should avoid digging ourselves into policy positions from which we can't get out." This did not mean throwing away or "weakening our defence shield."

"Strength is today essential—not for provocation or for prestige, but only for the protection of freedom—but also as a foundation for the kind of active diplomacy I am talking about."

Shop Hours Loophole Argued in Saanich

A loophole which could make the closing regulations of the new Municipal Act meaningless was tested in Saanich police court Thursday.

Grocer Henry Eng, proprietor of the Outdoor Supermarket, 3475 Quadra, said he closed his store at noon, as required by the act, then reopened 10 minutes later.

The act merely states it is necessary to close at noon.

Mr. Eng is charged with selling groceries and meat on a Monday afternoon—half-holiday in Saanich.

Defence counsel J. E. Gatehouse questioned Saanich by

law 1336, item 2, which states that all shops in Saanich shall close Mondays not later than 12 noon, except in July and August.

It does not state, however, that a shop may not reopen its doors, having once closed, he said.

The case was remanded to Jan. 2.

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NATO AT A GLANCE

PARIS (AP)—Following is a summary of major decisions of the NATO summit conference:

SCIENCE

A NATO science committee will be set up to promote training of scientists and to study a French plan for a research foundation. And "we seek to increase the effectiveness of national efforts through the pooling of scientific facilities and information and the sharing of tasks."

DISARMAMENT

Although the Soviet Union has rejected repeated proposals for disarmament in all fields, the NATO Council will explore again reopening of disarmament talks within the scope of the United Nations. If Russia refuses to work this way, a meeting of foreign ministers, Russia included, will be welcomed.

STRATEGY

Communique set forth plans to equip NATO nations in Europe with U.S. 1,500-mile range missiles and nuclear warheads, linked with arrangements to keep the door open for fresh talks with Moscow on disarmament and perhaps other issues. State Secretary Dulles called this "a strategy of victory."

POLITICAL

France, annoyed by shipment of British-American arms to Tunisia last month, won a point in the conference decision: Further improvement in political consultation among the allies is necessary and will be achieved.

DEFENCE

NATO reaffirmed its basic policy under which an attack upon one will be considered an attack on all.

Mixed European Comment On Results of NATO Talks

PARIS (Reuters)—European newspapers have given mixed reviews to the conference of Atlantic pact heads of government which ended Thursday.

A large chorus of editorial voices greet the possibility of disarmament talks between East and West as the most hopeful outcome of the Paris meeting. Some see this development as an indication the European partners stood up to the United States and got their way.

The Paris Journal says that for the first time Europe "affirmed itself as an emergent community within a wider alliance . . . the offer to resume discussions with Moscow reflects a new political reality." Paris' left-wing Combat says the Americans won agreement on missiles, but that Europe won the decision on contacts with Russia.

Airliner Avoids Tragic Accident

ST. LOUIS (AP)—A TWA airliner with 81 aboard was forced by bad weather to circle Municipal Airport for 45 minutes Thursday night, and then skidded off a wet runway after landing. Its right landing gear collapsed and the right wing tip and propellers on two engines struck the ground. No one was hurt.

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West Germany's pro-government Bonn paper, General Anzeiger, says the Paris meeting achieved "a balance" between armament, and a move for peace. But the independent Die Welt says the meeting was "a failure" because it revealed to the world the allies' "discord."

"John Foster Dulles has suffered the heaviest defeat of his career so far," Die Welt declares.

In London, The Times says that the decision to investigate the chance of talks with Russia, the NATO meeting "most truly acted as a conference."

The move "undoubtedly startled Mr. Dulles," but the conference did "more than expected in pulling the Western governments' thoughts closer into line."

The Manchester Guardian sees the chance of talks with Russia as a "slight gain" diplomatically, but devotes most of a long editorial to an indictment of the idea that missile bases in Britain will add to Western security.

The Liberal newspaper concluded that militarily the idea is useless.

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CANADA WANTS RESERVE ON EUROPE FREE TRADE

LONDON (CP)—Canadian delegation sources said today that during the final revision of the NATO summit meeting communique in Paris Thursday Prime Minister Diefenbaker entered verbal reservations to Paragraph 32, dealing with the desirability of the European free trade area.

When that point was reached in the Palais de Chaillot conference hall, they said, the prime minister observed that Canada would not object to the language used.

But she wanted it understood that her support was on the basis that the "European economic community" and the "European free trade area" referred to in the paragraph did not apply to agricultural products, drink and tobacco.

Calendar of
Festive Season Events

AT THE **Empress**

Tonight
Special Buffet Dinner, Empress Room, 6.00 to 9.00 p.m. Per Person \$4.00

Saturday, December 21st
Children's Fancy Dress Party, 5.00 to 5.00 p.m. Children \$1.00, Adult Spectators \$1.00.
Supper Dance in the Crystal Ballroom, 9.00 to midnight. Cover Charge \$1.50

Sunday, December 22nd
Family Dinner in the Empress Room, 6.00 to 9.00 p.m. \$3.50
Children 12 years and under \$1.75

Monday, December 23rd
Christmas Carol Tea, 3.30 to 5.00 p.m. \$2.25

Tuesday, December 24th
Carol Concert by the Rotary Club Boys' Choir in the Main Lounge, 8.30 to 10.00 p.m.

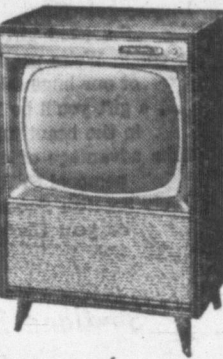
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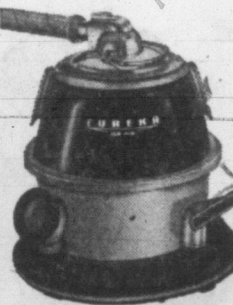
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New Tornado Hits South Arkansas

MAGNOLIA, Ark. (AP) — This shattered cotton belt town began cleaning up today in the wake of a tornado which left two of its 100 residents dead and three others severely injured.

The twister was one of three which struck southern Arkansas Thursday.

Arkansas' storms followed unseasonal tornadoes which left 14 dead and 250 injured in Missouri and southern Illinois. Tornado winds and torrential rains wrought further damage in Illinois Thursday.

Cotton-belt twister smashed five houses and damaged two others in the all-Negro community five miles north of here.

Neighbors found the mangled body of Sarah Hardin, 83, 100 yards from her demolished home. Christine Turner, 35, died on the way to a hospital.

A smaller tornado at nearby Stephens flattened an oil company field office, injuring three employees, while a capricious twister skipped about the Sherrill community, 100 miles northeast of here, causing considerable property damage but no injuries.

Three Killed In Head-On Car Crash

BEARDMORE, Ont. (CP) — An American pipeline worker, his wife and 12-year-old nephew were killed Thursday in a car-truck head-on collision 15 miles west of here on Highway 11.

The victims were Vernon L. Flatte, 41, and Mrs. Lavonne Gladys Flatte, 35, both of Twin Falls, Idaho, and their nephew David Lee.

Injured and in hospital at Fort William was truck driver Harry Thomas Hill, 23, of Port Arthur. He was in fair condition suffering a fractured arm and possible back injuries.

Ontario Provincial Police here said the collision occurred on a hillside curve. The paved highway was covered with slush and conditions were "treacherous," police said.

Mr. Flatte was a pipeline worker with Trans-Canada Pipe Line Company Limited and was moving his family from Kenora to Longlac, Ont. An inquest will be held.

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ANTI-ALCOHOLIC DRUG TRIED OUT ON HUMANS

TORONTO (CP)—A new drug to aid in treatment of active alcoholics is being tested and may be on the market in six months, H. David Archibald, director of the Alcoholism Research Foundation of Toronto, said Thursday.

He said the drug, citrated calcium carbimide, apparently has not the ill-effects of earlier drugs which left the patient impotent or with a permanent body odor, he said.

As with the first drugs, it produces nausea if alcohol is taken into the body.

Testing on humans began about a year ago.

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Botanical Gardens in Brickyard?

A suggestion that the four Greater Victoria municipalities purchase the old brickyard site in the Topaz Park area for their garbage disposal was made on Thursday by Coun. Ainslie Worthington of Saanich.

The site is owned by Evans, Coleman & Johnson Bros. Ltd. Coun. Worthington said the municipalities could landfill the

site after it was filled with garbage and develop it into a botanical garden.

"It would be a major beauty spot for tourists," he said.

Such a scheme, he said, would save Victoria considerable expense.

Victoria, he noted, is considering a plan for the construction of a dumping garbage

barge, as well as an incinerator and new wharf.

"The people of Victoria face

a big capital investment just to get rid of their garbage," he said.

Firing Squad Chosen By Convicted Miner

MONTICELLO, Utah (AP)—A uranium miner was sentenced Thursday to be executed by a firing squad at sunrise March 17 for the murder of another miner. Judge F. W. Keller pronounced sentence on James W. Rodgers, 48. Given his choice of being hanged or shot, Rodgers chose the firing squad.

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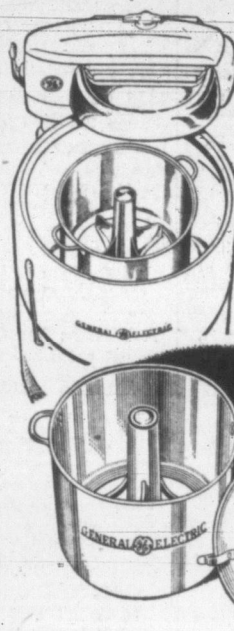
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By PHIL LEE, Times TV Editor

CHANNEL CHATTER—According to a report from New York, U.S. television under survey are becoming "critical and matter-of-fact about the medium." The findings were by Gerald W. Tasker, vice-president and director of research at Cunningham and Walsh Advertising Agency. During the past year the average person spent 11½ hours watching TV during the weekday nights and his programs were carefully selected, Tasker said in "The First Decade of Television in Videotown," the agency's 10th annual report on TV set usage and sales.

"Maverick" is the No. 1 top-rated show of all television programs shown in the Seattle-Tacoma market, according to the November ARB ratings. Lee Bowman will co-star with Myrna Loy in a new situation comedy series, "Minerva"—we Evelyn Rudie, who played "Eloise" on Playhouse 90 is slated to appear on the Patrice Munsel show tonight.

IT IS reported that CBS is trying to entice Peter Ustinov, author of star of Broadway's "Romanoff and Juliet," and John Osborne, author of "Look Back in Anger," into a debate on royalty. Osborne, allegedly, is an outspoken critic of the British monarchy.

On Monday from 7 to 8 p.m., CHEK-TV plans to show a live Christmas program featuring local stars in solo routines and a fairy story drawn from an original script. Plans are now being made for an hour-long radio and television simulcast of a variety show to mark the beginning of B.C.'s Centennial Year. The CBC, in conjunction with the B.C. Centennial Committee, will present the show in the International Cinema on Jan. 1, starting at 9 p.m. Guests invited include Yvonne de Carlo and Alan Young, also the creator of Mr. Magoo. Prince George's council has given approval to a by-law providing for closed-circuit television early next year. The station will be operated by a newly-formed B.C. corporation backed by United States interests.

Children's Corner

5:00: Hidden Pages, Channels 6, 2; Buccaneers, 5; Western movies, 12, 13; Cartoon Special, 11.
5:30: Mighty Mouse, Channel 2; Mickey Mouse Club, 5; Laurel and Hardy, 6; Popeye Theatre, 11.
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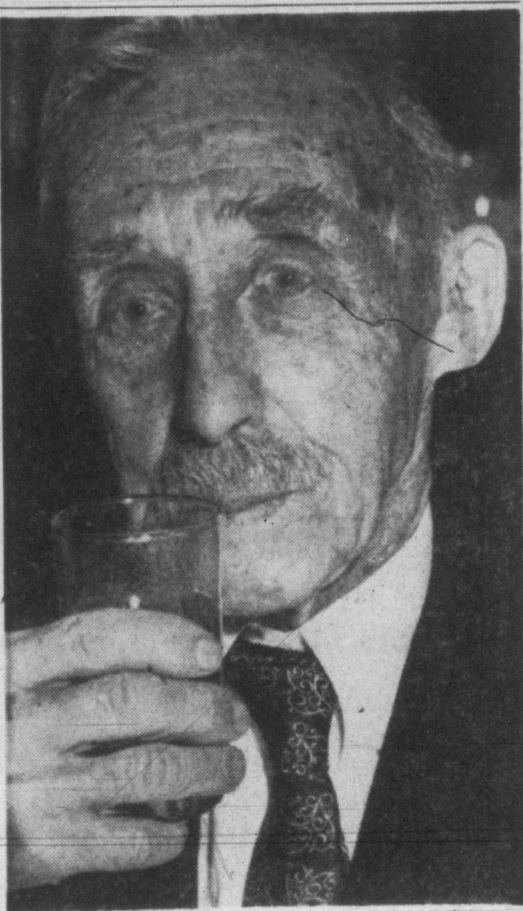
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DISTINGUISHED GENTLEMAN here is Mr. Edgar Crossley, 94, of 1539 Bay, oldest guest present at Thursday's annual Christmas party of Branch No. 3, Victoria Aged Pensioners' Organization, held in the Crystal Garden. Among 300 there were guests of honor Premier W. A. C. Bennett and Attorney-General Robert Bonner. Branch has 45 members over 80 years old. Carol singing was part of entertainment program.

Four Killed In Halifax Tenement Fire

HALIFAX (CP) — Four persons, including a mother and her three-year-old son, died Thursday night in a waterfront tenement fire.

Police held a man for questioning in connection with the fire. He was charged with being drunk.

There were 13 persons in the three-storey wooden building when the fire broke out. Most jumped or were lowered by firemen from second-floor windows.

The dead are: Mrs. Viola Conrad, 38; her son, Orla, 3; Frederick Walsh, 68, and Mrs. James Slaughter, 75.

Firemen found the bodies of Mrs. Conrad and her son in a kitchen on the third floor. Walsh died after being carried from the second floor. Mrs. Slaughter died on the way to a hospital.

Cause of the blaze has not been determined.

The building stands on the harbor side of Upper Water Street, a district occupied mainly by warehouses, wharves and tenements.

Production of New Cars Outpaces Dealer Volume

By DAVID J. WILKIE, Associated Press Staff Writer

DETROIT (AP) — The U.S. auto industry is building cars faster than retailers can sell them, mounting inventories of dealers indicate. Automotive News reports the industry this week will have turned out its 6,000,000th passenger car and 7,000,000th vehicle, including trucks.

It is generally agreed the auto industry got away to a poor start on its 1958 model year. Instead of bouncing upward retail sales declined.

In some instances there may be exceptions to this trend; a couple of companies have reported sales increases. Generally, however, over-all retail deliveries have been disappointing.

Buyer reaction to the new models is much like that of a year ago. Whether the aftermath—heavy inventories and forced selling at cut prices—will be similar to that of the 1957 model year is yet to be

determined. Right now the prospect that any car retailer will be able to get full list prices is not good.

Just why demand for new cars declined in the early weeks of the new model year is anybody's guess. The industry invested heavily in development of the 1958 models. The cars have eye-appeal and engineering quality that should make them especially attractive.

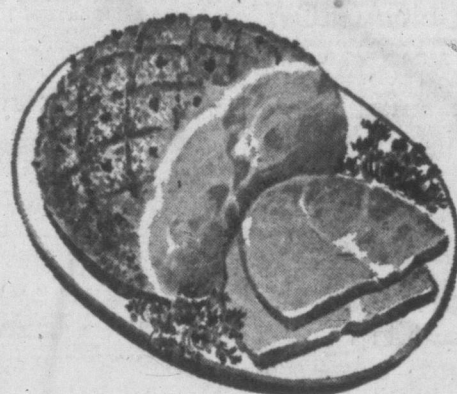
But the drive to liquidate outgoing models absorbed a lot of buying strength; higher price tags on most 1958 models discouraged some would-be buyers. The curbstone economists say the new car market again was oversold in 1957.

Whether this is true or not, this year's assemblies appear certain to come to 6,200,000

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TURKEYS
Grade "A" lb. **65^c**
10 to 16 lbs.

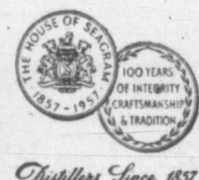
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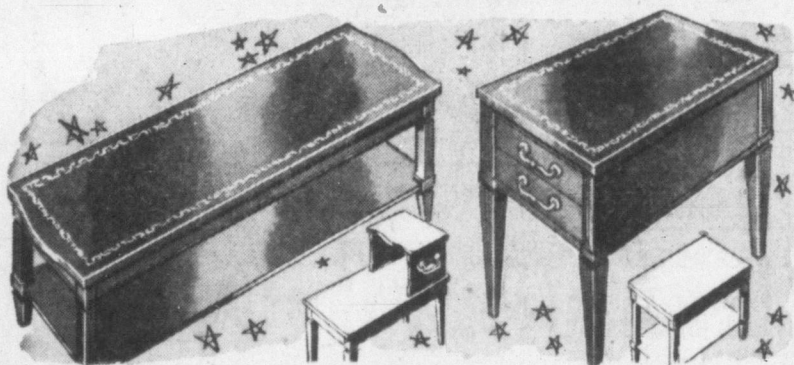
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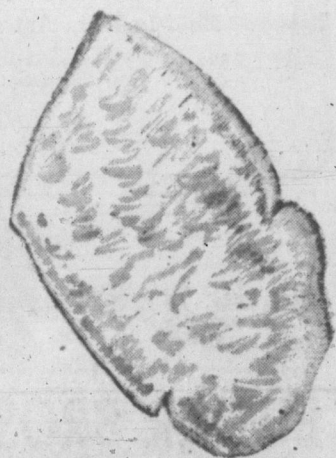
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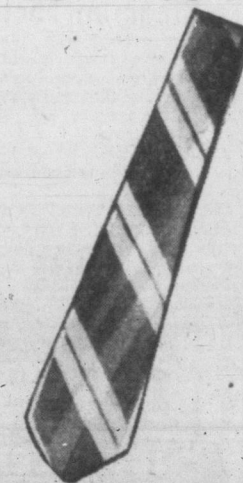
Handsome all-wool English flannel blazers... in his favourite tailored style. Sure-fire pleasers for that fastidious man-in-your-life! Single or double-breasted models with three roomy patch pockets and a half lining. Sizes 36 to 44 in regulars, shorts, tall.

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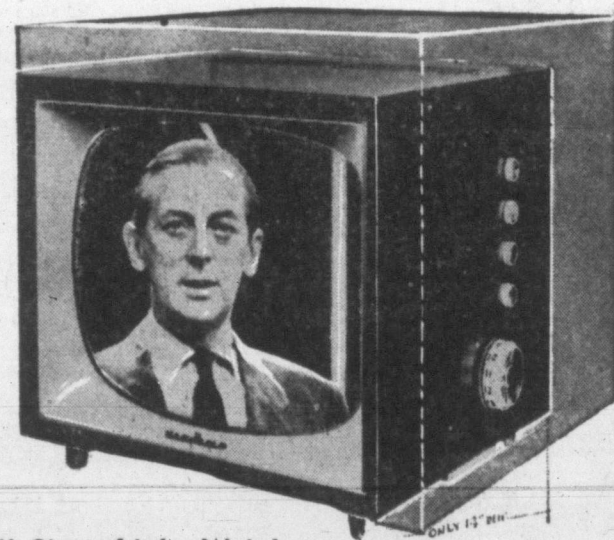
Grey Flannel Slacks

To wear smartly with the navy blue blazer and also with all his sweaters, shirts and jackets. Well tailored of all-wool worsted flannel with pleated front, five regular pockets and zipper closing. Waist sizes 29 to 44. Pair

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Small Size—Light Weight

A special, large-scale order for EATON'S across Canada makes this unusually low price possible! It's small! It's compact! But it has a full, 17" screen! For dens, playrooms, apartments... and especially as a "second set" in the home. Check these features:

- Wood cabinet mahogany or walnut finishes
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Christmas Carol Sheets Will Be Supplied

Two Extra TOYLAND Specials

Carrom—85 Games in One!

Here's a terrific Christmas gift idea!... something the whole family can enjoy. Carrom boards are made of a sturdy plywood construction with everything required to play 85 games and a very thorough rule and explanation book to tell you how to play them. Family and friends will spend many enjoyable evenings with this game board. **Special Saturday, each 9⁹⁵**

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EATON'S—Boys' Wear, Third Floor, Phone 2-7141



A Gift of Luxury... Lovely Fur Jackets

Make this a Christmas to remember! Thrill your "favourite gal" with a luxurious fur jacket from the big collection at EATON'S.

- Asiatic Squirrel... dyed brown burgundy. New season styling features small roll collar and fitted cuffs. Sizes 10 to 20. Each **228.00**
- Mouton Lamb... lovely jackets of sheared, processed, dyed mouton lamb with natural pastel ranch mink trim. Belted, cuffed style or rolled collar style. Sizes 10 to 18. Each **158.00**
- Muskrat Centre Back... beautifully styled jackets cut from the centre back Canadian Northern muskrat and dyed in new shades of Havana Brown and Labrador. Sizes 9 to 20. Each **238.00**

EATON'S—Fur Salon, Second Floor, Phone 2-7141

GIVE FASHIONS TO THE YOUNG FRY



... gifts to please the young at heart. Boys and girls will be pleased to find gifts of clothes under the tree Christmas morning... see the big selection in EATON'S Young Canada Floor, the Third.

Little Girls, 3 to 6x

- Sweaters of all-wool, nylon or "Orlon". Pull-over and cardigan styles... some with trims. A good selection of popular colours. Each **2.75 to 4.98**
- Blouses of cotton or "Terylene". Choose from sissy front styles with Peter Pan collars and eyelet trimming. Short or three-quarter length sleeves... a selection of colours. Each **1.69 to 3.98**
- Skirts in plain or plaid Viyella... some with shoulder straps. Styled with elastic at the back of the waist. Each **2.98 to 4.98**

Big Sister, 7 to 14

- Sweaters of fine quality English wool. Cardigan and pullover styles in assorted colours. Also jewelled "Orlon" sweaters in pullover and cardigan styles. Each **3.50 to 5.98**
- Blouses of cotton, nylon and "Terylene". Smartly styled with short, ¾ and long sleeves. Assorted colours in the group. Each **1.98 to 3.98**
- Skirts in attractive all-wool tweeds. Straight or pleated styles in a good selection of colours. Each **6.98 to 11.98**

EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor, Phone 2-7141

Young Boys, 2 to 6x

- Pants... of flannel or corduroy. Some with belt, others with boxer waists. Pair **2.98 to 4.98**
- Shirts in many styles and colours. Plain whites or fancy dress types... also plaids, checks, Cotton, "Terylene" and flannelettes. Each **1.98 to 2.98**
- Sweaters of fine quality English wool. Pull-overs and cardigans. Also a selection of nylon sweaters for boys. Each **2.75 to 3.98**

EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor, Phone 2-7141



Christmas Cooking Needs

Make sure you have all the cooking utensils you need for the festive season food menus. Check below... make a list of the items you need... then visit our Housewares Section, Lower Main Floor!

Pastry Frame

Stay-flat cloth with rolling pin cover, circles for 8 and 9-inch pies. Each **2.95**

Rolling Pin

Easy to roll, ball-bearing rolling pin. 17 inches from handle to handle. Each **2.25**

Mixing Bowl

White enamel bowl with black trim. 11-inch opening. Each **1.69**

Pastry Press

Stainless resistant alumite finish that is easy to clean... 15 fancy shapes. Each **3.98**

Christmas Cake Pans

Square shaped pans in a set of three for Christmas cakes, wedding cakes. Feature removable bottoms. Made of polished tinware. Sizes 9", 7" and 5" square. Set of 3. **1.09**

Junior Leaf Pan

Made from tinware that heats quickly, browns evenly. Sizes about 8x5x2 inches. Each **39c**

Egg Beater

Swift whip egg beater with stainless steel blades. Each **3.75**

Wooden Spoons

A must for every kitchen... made of good quality hardwood. Each **25c**

Pie and Tart Pans

Individual pie and tart pans made of tinware. 4½-inch size. Each **10c and 15c**

Round Cake Tin

Made with removable bottoms... excellent for Christmas cakes. Size about 8", 7" and 5". Set of three. **89c**

Measuring Cups

4 aluminum measuring cups in ¼, ½, ¾ and 1 cup. Accurate graduations on each cup. Set **69c**

Pyrex Baster

Extra capacity, easier to clean baster, made of Pyrex heat-resistant glass. Ridged bulb prevents boiling. Set **89c**

EATON'S—Housewares, Lower Main Floor, Phone 2-7141

Bargain Basement Specials MEN'S SHIRTS

Here's an opportunity to save on gifts for the men on your Christmas gift list! "Sanforized" white cotton broadcloth dress shirts with neat attached fused collar and French or button cuffs. These finely woven fabrics are easy to launder and wear well. Sizes 14½ to 17, in various sleeve lengths.

Special Saturday, Each **2.59** or

2 for 5⁰⁰

Buy Gift Ties, Too!

Pick one or two of these attractive silk foulard ties to go with the dress shirts. They are priced especially low Saturday... neat novelty designs in blue, grey, wine. **89c**

EATON'S—Bargain Basement Phone 2-7141



Shearling Lined Boots

A Pleasing and Practical Gift!

Here's a gift that will bring her years of warm, comfortable wear during the bad weather. Brown, red or black leather boots, warmly lined throughout with shearling (lambswool) and finished with cushion crepe rubber soles and heels. Smartly styled with strap and buckle over the instep. Sizes 4 to 9. **9⁹⁵**

EATON'S—Family Shoe Centre, Second Floor, Phone 2-7141

for him...

A Tony Day Sweater

Soft, luxurious sweaters... yet sturdy, long wearing and so very easy to care for! A wool and "Orlon" mix, they're styled with V necks and long sleeves. Mint, grey, blue, white, navy, brown and light blue. Sizes small, medium and large. **8.95**

All-wool or "Acrylic" Tony Day sweaters also available... same styling, colours and sizes. Ea. **8.95**

EATON'S—Men's Wear, Main Floor, Phone 2-7141

EATON'S

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Gifts from 10⁰⁰ to 20⁰⁰

More
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Eaton's

We don't like to worry you but—there are only three more shopping days before Christmas, and though EATON'S will be open until 9 p.m. Monday, there's still not too much time left. However, even if you've left everything until the last minute, don't despair—as always, EATON'S comes to the rescue and helps out, this time with shopping short cuts.



Why Shop at All?

The question isn't as frivolous as it sounds, because you don't really have to. Make up your list—put suggested gifts and prices alongside each name, and then phone our Personal Shopper, or come in and see her in her office behind Toyland. She'll buy all your gifts for you, have them wrapped and delivered in time, all at no extra charge. Best of all, she won't tell a soul you can pretend it's you that's the smart shopper!



Fireside Shopping

If you know just what you want (and the best way to find it is to study EATON'S daily ads) why not use our Order Line? The largest automatic retail exchange on Vancouver Island is waiting to serve you, and our trained Order Line girls will look after your every request. Just dial 2-7141, or in outlying areas ask your operator for Zenith 6100 and we pay the toll charges. But better hurry—Christmas is close!



Enchanting Integuments

That's the kind of word that wins luckier folks \$64,000—but all it means is outer covering. In this case, gift wrapping, as carried out by our Gift Wrapping on the Second Floor, and it thoroughly deserves to be called enchanting. Just take your gifts up to the wrapper, describe the type of wrap you'd like, and leave it to her. You're saved all the work of wrapping and your gifts stand out like jewels. The charge is very moderate.



Fastest Delivery

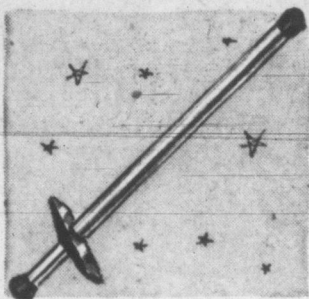
The parcel you carry gets home when you do—and it's easy to arrange this. If your car is parked in either of our lots, show your ticket and ask for your parcels to be sent to the parking lot. If you're on foot, don't carry everything everywhere—when your carrier bag is full, check it at the Lower Main Floor Parcel Check, and start on another one... Check your coat here, too, if you wish, and then you can really get down to some serious shopping!



Goodbye, Santa!

Santa Claus has asked us to let you know that he's leaving. Monday and Tuesday are very busy days for the old gentleman, and he has to check up on his sleigh before his world tour on Tuesday night. It would be tragic if he had a blowout over Baffin Land and never got here, wouldn't it? EATON'S—He'll be at Haddon Hall for the last time this year from 10 to 12 and 2 to 4—Main Floor, House Furnishings Building.

Shown on this page are gift suggestions priced from 10.00 to 20.00... all are gifts that will bring exclamations of delight on Christmas morning. These are but a few of the tremendous Gift Selection you'll find here at EATON'S... You can shop with confidence that your gift will be right, when you shop at EATON'S.



Jumpin' Jeepers

More fun than the comic strip... a real, honest-to-goodness pogo stick! Like learning to ride a bike... requires just a little concentration, then being! being! being! You're off! Each **12.95**

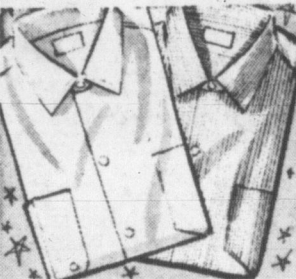
EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building

To Dream in

Clouds of filmy nylon, by Marjorie Hamilton, in soft aqua shade. Gown is shadow lined and elasticized for lovely fit. Dainty rosebud trim. Gown, each **19.95**

Matching peignoir, each **19.95**

EATON'S—Lingerie, Second Floor



Plain or Fancy

Whether he prefers a plain white dress shirt or smart pin stripes... we know he'll prefer a Terylene shirt. (Specially when it's made by Arrow!) You'll prefer it too, if you do his laundry, it's so easy to care for! Plain and stripes, each **10.95**

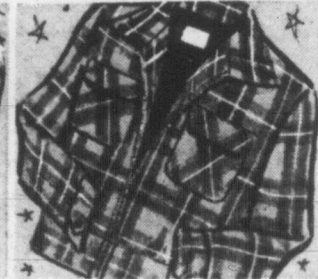
EATON'S—Men's Wear, Main Floor

Glamour Loungers

The blouse striped in blue and green of feather-light silk, beautifully detailed and finished... teamed with sleek black velvet slim jims... Blouse, each **11.95**

Slim jims, pair **13.95**

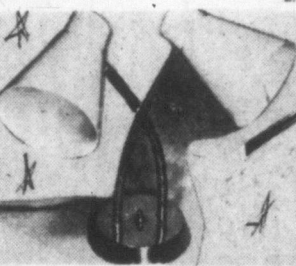
EATON'S—Sportswear, Second Floor



Plaid for the Lad

This one, a gay red MacLaine of Lochbuie, all-wool worsted tartan... popular windbreaker style with zipper closing. Choose from several authentic tartans in sizes 10 to 18. Each **12.98 and 13.98**

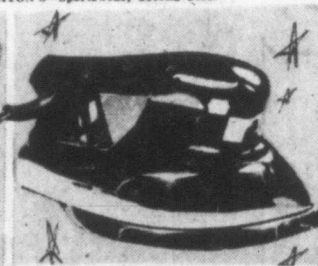
EATON'S—Boys' Wear, Third Floor



Light 'n' Bright

A delightful gift for the home. Twin bullet lamp in bright copper finish. Flexible arms, tri-position switch. White bullet shades. Each **11.95**

EATON'S—Lamps, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building



It's a Berkley!

Mom will be delighted with this lovely Berkley steam and dry iron. It's lightweight, and easy to use... a practical gift that will save her lots of time and energy. Each **13.95**

EATON'S—Small Appliances, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building



For Christmas Belles

Your young lady will be the belle of the festive season in this adorable dress. Bodice in black velvet with candy-pink nylon lace skirt and a huge sash of matching taffeta. Sizes 7 to 14. Each **14.98**

EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor



Good Sports

The shoes that take to the golf course like ducks to water! A wonderful gift for the golfer, we have both men's and women's styles, with "pillow vent" insoles and replaceable metal studs. Pair **12.95**

EATON'S—Family Shoe Centre, Second Floor

Evening Glamour

She'll love one of these dainty evening bags to carry with her on festive evenings now and throughout the year. Both imported from France and lined with satin. Each **11.50 and 16.75**

EATON'S—Handbags, Main Floor



Ride-a-Cock Horse!

To one child's imagination add one rocking horse, stir... and away we go! Galloping through the old wild west, across the Arabian desert, or prancing through Piccadilly Square the sky's the limit! Each **11.95**

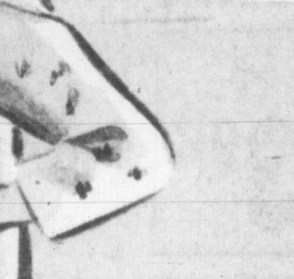
EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building



Dream Stuff

The warmest gift of them all! No matter what old man winter does... blow up a storm or freeze the pipes... this Dacron comforter will keep them cozy as coals on the hearth! Size 72x84. Each **15.95**

EATON'S—Household Linens, Third Floor



Coffee Club Specials!

Beauty at breakfast... impossible? Not so... when you give her a beautiful duster or dressing gown from our fine collection. Quilted Dacron duster, as shown **17.99**

EATON'S—Lingerie, Second Floor



'Little Mother's' Dream

How proud your little girl will be to take her "best" baby walking in this beautiful pram. Very well constructed with spring suspension, all-metal body. Each **17.95**

EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building



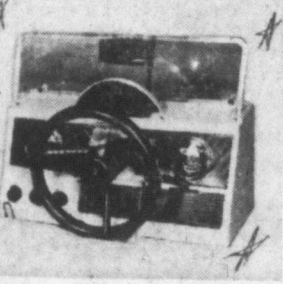
Travellin' Light

Light and roomy... men's and women's overnight-type luggage for the "foot loose and fancy free." Men's club case, **16.95**

Women's carry-all with convertible strap handle, **13.00**

by Skyway

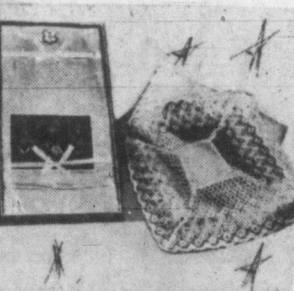
EATON'S—Luggage, Main Floor, House Furnishings Building



Junior Motorist

Your child will spend many happy hours learning to drive with this mock car dashboard. Battery-operated, it features key, turn lights, horn, glove compartment, speedometer, gearshift, windshield wipers. Each **14.95**

EATON'S—Toyland, Second Floor, House Furnishings Building



Lovely Linens

An exquisite gift for the home. Linen Damask dinette set by Haddon Hall, imported from Ireland. 52x70 and 8 napkins. Set **10.95**

Also fine Durastay-Silicone linen cloth with water-repellent surface, lovely crocheted lace edging. Size about 70x90. Each **12.95**

EATON'S—Linens, Third Floor



Still Undecided?

If you have a really difficult person to buy for on your list... why not give an EATON Gift Certificate... they may choose their own gift in any EATON Store across Canada. Redeemable in merchandise at face value.



SANTAS EVERYWHERE

School children all over Victoria staged Christmas previews today with classroom parties, complete with costumes, treats and exchange of gifts. It was a double celebration for youngsters; today they pack

up their books until Jan. 6. Santa Claus masks, junior style, were favorites at party held this morning in James Bay Elementary School. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

\$875,000 Stock Fraud Revealed

Gang Based Operations In Vancouver

By PETER MURRAY

A gang of stock racketeers who bilked U.S. investors of an estimated \$875,000 from their "offices" in Vancouver have been routed by provincial securities officials and police.

The bizarre story of how the international ring operated behind a door marked "Kiwans Club of Vancouver Youth Services" came to light today.

The men, believed to number about 20, carried on the swindle for about seven weeks until they fled last week just before police closed in.

The fraud detail of the Vancouver police force is attempting now to track down the gang.

BY PHONE

The men sold stock by long-distance telephone to persons living in rural areas of the Eastern U.S.

The stock was in a company named "Canadian Alumina Corporation Limited," said to be backed by a Halifax brokerage firm.

The gang operated a total of 17 telephones from three separate premises in Vancouver. One was a former bootlegging establishment.

Cost of the long-distance calls ran up to \$8,000 a week and was paid from phony names given the telephone company for billing purposes.

\$25,000 A WEEK

Authorities believe the "salesmen" split up \$25,000 in commissions each week, representing about one-fifth of the total proceeds from the stock sales.

At \$125,000 per week, it is estimated the sales totalled \$875,000 over the gang's seven-week operation.

The salesmen told the long-distance operators to tell prospective stock purchasers in the U.S. that it was "Canada Calling," without mentioning Vancouver.

This was done so the pur-

DIPLOMATS SAY RUSSIA READY FOR ARMS TALKS

PARIS (UP)—European diplomats predicted today that Moscow will accept the West's offer of an East-West foreign ministers' disarmament conference.

They believed it might develop, despite apparent U.S. objections, in a broader cold war peace parley. Western diplomats believe the Russians hope to use such a meeting to fire off their biggest propaganda blasts. The Russians also apparently think a cold war conference can be used to slow down the West's rearming.

10-Year Average Farm Price Basis

OTTAWA (CP)—Agriculture Minister Harkness, faced with criticism inside and outside Parliament, has shuffled the government's farm price support plan to relate it specifically to a form of parity and to base its benefits on a 10-year, rather than a three-year, average.

He announced in the Commons today that his new farm bill will be amended to specify that price supports shall be set with "regard to the estimated average cost of production of the commodity, and such other factors as the governor-in-council cabinet considers to be relevant."

He said the change "will make it clear that the cost of production is the most important factor."

The measure, as introduced Saturday, provided that annual price supports could be set at the start of each year for any farm commodity, based on the average price in the preceding three years.

It also provided what the government called an "ultimate security"—that nine products should always be supported at a level at least 80 per cent of the three-year-average base price. These are cattle, hogs, sheep, butter, cheese, eggs and non-prairie wheat, oats and barley.

Mr. Harkness, making his announcement as debate opened on the principle of the bill, said

these provisions will be switched to a 10-year average. He said the 10-year period how will include five years of the highest prices Canadian farmers have ever enjoyed, 1948-52.

The changes, to be written into the bill at a later stage, were announced after indications in the last few days from the CCF and Social Credit parties that they were prepared to fight the original measure. Farm organizations, including the influential Canadian Federation of Agriculture, had criticized it.

Mr. Harkness' speech today indicated criticism had come from within Progressive Conservative ranks as well. He said Conservative representatives of rural areas had expressed "concern" that the bill's purpose was not sufficiently explicit.

The main Opposition criticisms have been that nowhere did the original bill make any statement that price supports should be related to parity—generally considered to involve relating farm prices to costs of other commodities.

Another issue is that a three-year average now would cover the last three years of depressed farm prices.

Mr. Harkness said the guarantees intended by the government had been "implicit" in the bill. The government now was merely spelling them out more precisely.

EISENHOWER ARRIVES HOME

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower returned to Washington after a week's trip to Paris, where 15 NATO allies drafted a blueprint for coping with the Communists in the missile age. He was greeted by vice-president Nixon and about 50 U.S. and foreign officials.

New Position For Sloan Gets Mixed Reaction

Appointment of Chief Justice Gordon Sloan to a \$50,000-a-year post as forests adviser to the government received a mixed reception today.

Industry and political spokesmen were unanimous on only one point—that no better man could be found for the job. M. J. Foley, president of the Powell River Company, said the appointment "will help greatly in working out our complex forestry problems."

"I think the government is very fortunate in getting such a distinguished man to serve," he said.

But provincial Liberal leader Arthur Laing said there was no guarantee the appointment would remove politics from administration of the timber industry.

It could worsen the situation, Mr. Laing said. "The chief justice has done valuable work for the industry because of his intelligence and his position," Mr. Laing said. "It is a highly unusual thing."

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Poll Leader Files Own Disclaimer

CAMPBELL RIVER, B.C. (CP)—R. D. Jamieson, who topped the polls at the recent civic elections, has filed a disclaimer because one of the persons nominating him did not have proper qualifications.

Mr. Jamieson said he filed the disclaimer rather than wait for disqualification. Peter Kopp had only six months' residence qualification instead of the required 12 months.

A by-election will be held. Nominations close Dec. 30 and voting will take place if necessary in January.

Margaret's Visit Now Set July 12

Fishboat Sinks, 1 Man Missing, Another Saved

Survivor of Ordeal Making Recovery

One man is missing and another is recovering at Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges, Salt Spring Island, following the sinking of the fishboat Scot Isle in a storm Thursday night in Stuart Channel, one-half mile off shore from Salt Spring Island.

Survivor of a three-hour ordeal, of which little is known, is Alfred I. Aunli of 10625 River Road, New Westminster. He is suffering from "immersion foot" and severe shock, but at press time was reported in satisfactory condition.

According to sketchy reports given police, the 37-foot vessel capsized in stormy seas. Aunli was able to reach shore in the vessel's dinghy, but was not able to help his partner, as yet not identified by the RCMP pending notification of next of kin.

UNWITTING HOST

Aunli made his way to Vesuvius Lodge, at Vesuvius Bay, where he called Const. H. E. Bonner of the island RCMP detachment at Ganges at about 1 a.m. today. When Const. Bonner picked him up at 1.30, Cmdr. Henry Forrester, proprietor of the lodge, learned for the first time that he had sheltered the shipwrecked fisherman.

"The power at the lodge had gone off earlier in the evening, so my wife and I had retired," Cmdr. Forrester said. "Between 1 and 1.30 we were awakened by the terrific wind drumming on our television antenna."

"There was nothing we could do about it, so I went down to the kitchen to make up something to eat and drink. It was then that I saw lights on and heard a car door slam. It was Const. Bonner coming back to tell me he had the injured man and was taking him to the hospital."

BLOOD ON FLOOR

"There was blood in streaks on the floor. I suppose he had come to the lodge, found the telephone, and done everything himself. I haven't seen him yet."

The police boat stationed at Ganges set off this morning with a police crew in an effort to find the missing man, but at present he had not been located.

Aunli made his home with his brother Lars, and sister-in-law at the New Westminster address.

U.S. VANGUARD SHOT PREPARED?

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP)—Another missile launching was in prospect here today.

The nature of the test vehicle involved was unknown to watchers outside the missile test centre, from which the public is barred.

Reports persisted that the Vanguard satellite-launching rocket was being geared for another try at putting up a U.S. version of the Soviet Sputnik.



HRH PRINCESS MARGARET

Princess In B.C. 2 Weeks

(See Also Page 19)

Official announcement of Princess Margaret's visit to British Columbia in the 1958 Centennial year was made here today by Premier Bennett and in Ottawa and London.

She will arrive by air direct from London on July 12, one week earlier than the date previously speculated.

She will spend two weeks in British Columbia, and afterwards will spend a further 10 days touring the rest of Canada. It has not been settled which dates she will be in Victoria.

She is making her trip to North America as a direct result of British Columbia's centennial invitation.

Premier Bennett said he is "extremely pleased" she had accepted the invitation, and stated her presence would greatly enhance the province's centennial celebrations.

NO DETAILS YET

R. A. Pennington, deputy provincial secretary, likely will be in charge of arrangements for the princess while she is in the province.

"But no details have been worked out yet. I don't even know where she is staying," he said. A government committee probably will be struck to handle the details of the royal visit.

Burned-out Government House is unlikely to be ready for the visit, said Public Works Minister W. N. Chant.

"But we'll do our very best... within the physical limitations." If Government House is not ready, she possibly will stay in the Empress Hotel where Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross is now residing.

Among visits she is expected to make throughout B.C. is one to Nanaimo where she has been asked to cut the huge 10,000-pound centennial birthday cake being baked to mark observance.

Centennial committee chairman L. J. Wallace termed the visit "like a Christmas present."

"We have been waiting for this news for months. Now we can start making final arrangements for those events which will centre around Princess Margaret's visit."

TO SEE ALL REGIONS

He predicted the visit would be kept as informal as possible. "We want her to see all regions of the province and to get to know our people on an informal basis as royal protocol will allow."

The visit of Her Royal Highness will throw centennial year plans into high gear. Continued on Page 2

Narrow Margin On NATO Issue

Macmillan Wins Commons Support Beating Labor Opposition 289 to 251

LONDON (Reuters)—The government today defeated by a vote of 289 to 251 a Labor Opposition challenge to its handling of issues raised at the Paris NATO conference.

By the vote, the House of Commons supported decisions taken by Prime Minister Macmillan and Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd at the NATO meeting in Paris—decisions which involve the basing of American-made missiles in Britain.

The prime minister told the House that these ballistic missiles—with an intermediate range able to reach targets in the Soviet Union—would only be used by the United States with British agreement.

Five Conservative rebels abstained.

They argued, as did the Socialists, that Macmillan surrendered too much of Britain's sovereignty in agreeing to the establishment of four American-supplied intermediate-range ballistic missile bases in this country.

Macmillan wound up the debate by declaring that Britain would have "a complete veto" on the use of the American missiles in this country.

Macmillan said the rebels within his party were being "a little ungenerous" in saying the

JOHN D. HEARS U.K. DEBATE

LONDON (CP)—Canada's Prime Minister Diefenbaker visited the British House of Commons today and heard part of a stormy debate on the NATO summit conference.

United States wanted to use Europe for its own protection. "We should not forget that during the period of trying to build up NATO, we lived for nine years under the protection of the immense air power of the United States," he said.

The Paris NATO decisions, he added, "will strengthen our position both for the defence of freedom and for the seeking of peace."

The rebels are headed by independent Conservative Lord Hinchinbrooke, who led a group of nine Conservatives out of the party a year ago in protest against the decision to withdraw following the Suez intervention.

Diefenbaker Sworn In As Privy Councillor

LONDON (CP)—Prime Minister Diefenbaker was sworn in as a member of the Privy Council in a brief ceremony today at Buckingham Palace.

Later the prime minister and Mrs. Diefenbaker had lunch with the Queen. Prince Philip was not present because of a previous engagement.

The prime minister also scheduled a call at Canada House for informal talks with

George Drew, Canadian high commissioner to the United Kingdom, and senior Canadian officers.

The Diefenbaker party, which includes Defence Minister and Mrs. G. R. Pearkes and Finance Minister and Mrs. Donald Fleming, was scheduled to depart from London Airport at 12.30 PST.

T-BRICKS FOR KOREA

Joy, Toys, Turkey--- Or Cold Despair?

In five days Victoria children will open their eyes to a Christmas of happiness and warm delight.

Korean children will waken the same morning to hopelessness and cold despair.

Christmas for them is not a day of toys and turkey. It is just another day in a long chain of days that brings a sharper hunger, a more engulfing sickness.

Happiness is almost too much to ask for Seoul's sick children.

But they can be given hope. Hope in the form of bricks to build a fine new TB outpatients' pavilion in the slum-infested centre of Seoul. Each brick we buy—and

Thursday Victorians purchased another reason for living.

The pavilion that will rise before those children's eyes next year will give them renewed hope for three things—comfort, care and cure.

But our work is not yet completed. To meet the \$12,000 cost of the pavilion, we need 600 of the pavilion, we need Christmas.

Will you help? Send donations to the Victoria Daily Times, Douglas Street or The Times downtown office, Broad Street. Make cheques payable to the United Services Committee, "Bricks for Korea" fund. (See donors, Page 31.)

KREMLIN COMPLACENCY ROCKED

Russian Science Trailing U.S. Academy Chief Tells Deputies

MOSCOW (Reuters)—Dr. Alexander Nesmeyanov, president of the Soviet academy of science, startled Soviet deputies in the Kremlin today with a series of criticisms of Soviet science.

He told them "great efforts

are still needed to beat the United States on all scientific fronts."

Nesmeyanov, speaking at a session of the Soviet council of the union, listed these flaws in Soviet scientific development:

There were "shortcomings" in expenditure on scientific equipment;

Equipment provided for Soviet scientists was "anti-qualified";

Funds for Soviet research were less than in the U.S.; Not enough money was spent on equipping laboratories;

Work was duplicated; Industry failed to "produce what the scientists want."

However, Nesmeyanov also pointed out that the Sputnik bore witness to the superiority of Soviet rocket techniques, and also to "great progress in the realm of mechanics, mathematics, chemistry, radio techniques and automation."

Nesmeyanov pleaded for more money for research.

CARS, TRUCKS NEEDED TO DELIVER HAMPERS

Drivers with cars, station wagons or trucks are needed for the distribution of more than 400 Christmas hampers among needy Victoria families Saturday morning and afternoon.

Volunteers are asked to get in touch with Mrs. May Campbell, chairman of the Christmas Bureau of the Community Chest at 5-6531.

The Christmas Bureau and the Surplus Food Stall have joined forces this year to assist families not looked after by other welfare agencies.



Mr. Uncle Zerk's decided the new "forestry czar" would be a good man to write about gittin' a Christmas tree.

Gittin' ahead o' th' other feller don't allus mean gittin' ahead.

It's an ill-wind that blows no TV screens blank.

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Ouster Completed For Three Unions

U.S. Labor War May Follow Final
Action By AFL-CIO Officers

WASHINGTON (AP) — The reform-minded AFL-CIO acted today to complete ouster of the teamsters, laundry and bakery workers' unions from all echelons of the united labor movement.

The three unions already have been kicked out of the big federation on corruption charges. George Meany, AFL-CIO president, and William Schnitzler, secretary-treasurer, followed up this national-level expulsion by ordering the federation's more than 650 state and local groups to act immediately to sever relations with units of the three unions.

They ordered teamster locals

STOCK

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chaser would have no clue to the location of the ring.

The fact they were operating from the Pacific Coast, making sales in the East, was designed to throw securities officials in both the U.S. and Canada off the track.

TO HALIFAX

Victims of the swindlers were told to send payments to the Halifax firm, which forwarded commissions to the men in Vancouver.

The federal Securities and Exchange Commission in the U.S. had told the Halifax firm to "cease and desist" from the sale of Canadian Alumina Stock in the U.S. Other state securities officials had taken similar action.

Opening of the Vancouver office was aimed at getting around these orders.

STUMBLING ON IT
B.C. authorities stumbled upon the swindle by accident.

Provincial superintendent of brokers, Stewart Smith, recognized a known eastern Canadian stock racketeer in a Vancouver hotel lobby earlier this month.

Vancouver police immediately began an investigation into the man's activities and four days later "staked out" the Vancouver offices.

On the morning of Dec. 5 the police fraud detail and Mr. Smith raided the premises, but the gang had gone.

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for a member of the Bench, and particularly a chief justice, to return to business in any form," the Liberal leader said.

"He will no longer be blessed by neutrality in his new post," CCF Leader Robert Strachan said he approved the appointment of Chief Justice Sloan, but did not approve of the government's methods.

"We welcome a continual examination of the forest industry and its problems," the opposition leader said, "but we must protest the devious method which the government has used to provide the machinery for such examination."

Mr. Strachan said the position of a forest commissioner should be set up only under the Forest Act, not the Public Inquiries Act used by the government.

Under the Forest Act, the appointment would be the right of the legislature to decide.

Mr. Strachan said the government had thrown the Sloan forestry report back at the chief justice and told him: "Now that you have written this report, tell us what to do with it."

HE'S THE MAN
The CCF leader added: "If any man can do this job, Chief Justice Gordon Sloan is that man."

David Sturdy, whose allegations before Chief Justice Sloan's forestry commission launched the Sommers bribery conspiracy case, said the appointment was "purely political."

"The creation of this new office is entirely unnecessary and in my opinion was effected for the purpose of enabling the government to answer its critics at the next election, who will say that forestry has not been properly administered in the last five years," Mr. Sturdy said.

"All that is needed is a capable minister of forests. I think Mr. Bennett's motives are purely political."

"At the same time they are costly."

Ralph M. Shaw, president of MacMillan & Bloedel Ltd., said: "I think it is a good idea. The chief justice is well suited to the task. He is a man of great capability and wide experience, and we heartily approve."

Mr. Shaw noted that his company had been thinking in the same direction for several years. Appearing before the forestry commission in November, 1955, it had actually proposed the chief justice might head up an advisory board.

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Check on Planes
PARIS (Reuters)—French authorities today ordered troops to guard all airliners on the France-North Africa service after a time-bomb hidden in the wash room of a plane blasted a hole in its fuselage Thursday.

The plane, carrying 89 passengers, landed safely at Lyons and nobody was hurt.

Bowling Guests
Members of Victoria Aged Pensioners No. 3 will be guests of the Strathcona Bowling Alleys Monday at 1.30 p.m.

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B.C. DOCTORS TO APPEAL TAX RULING

VANCOUVER (CP)—British Columbia eye specialists will appeal the decision of the income tax board on alleged prescription kickbacks to the Exchequer Court of Canada.

Vancouver lawyer J. L. Lawrence said Thursday the appeal will be led by Senator J. B. De B. Farris, probably when the Exchequer Court sits here in March.

The new appeal follows the income tax appeal board's rejection of the claim of 22 Vancouver and Victoria eye specialists that money they received from an optical company was not subject to tax.

**Defendants Drop
Injunction Suit
In Sommers Case**

VANCOUVER (CP)—An injunction suit started Dec. 12 by four defendants in the Sommers conspiracy case was discontinued Thursday.

The suit by H. Wilson Gray, John M. Gray, Pacific Coast Services Ltd. and Evergreen Lumber Sales Ltd. was against the Canadian Bank of Commerce to prevent examination of bank records under search warrant.

A bribery conspiracy charge is pending in Vancouver police court against the Gray brothers, former forests minister Robert Sommers and C. D. Schultz.

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New York Threatened Total Transport Strike

NEW YORK (AP)—Michael J. Quill, president of the Transport Workers' Union, has threatened a total shutdown of all subway and bus service in New York City New Year's Eve.

Quill made the threat Thursday after the city transit authority balked at negotiating a new contract with the TWU.

The current agreements between the union and the authority and eight privately owned bus companies expires at midnight Dec. 31.

The transit authority said it cannot negotiate a new contract with the TWU until it gets clarification from state legislative leaders on the status of such a contract.

Behind the squabble is an assurance the state leaders gave the striking Independent Motor-men's Benevolent Association in ending an eight-day subway walkout last Monday. The state leaders promised to introduce and speed a bill to strip the transit authority of its right to designate bargaining units.

The MBA is contesting the TWU's right to represent the subway system's 3,167 motor-men.

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Accused and Firm Paid Money Linked in \$80,000 Theft Trial

VANCOUVER (CP)—An accountant charged with forgery and theft of nearly \$80,000 from the British Columbia Electric Company was linked to the firm to which the money was paid, a witness said Thursday.

The accused, William F. Blair, 37, of North Vancouver was identified by Cloverdale postmaster Kenneth A. Patterson as the man who rented a post office box Dec. 3, 1956, in the name of Hallmark and Associates.

Patterson said he remembered Blair because he closely resembled a Cloverdale garage operator.

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OUTDOOR REPORT BY Doug Peden

Caught with a long shopping list and only three short shopping days until Christmas?

It's a tough situation, but if you're looking for things to please outdoor-type males, your problems are half solved. There are dozens of items available and hunters and fishermen never think they have enough equipment.

This is the time of year when the ladies and small fry are swishing into sporting goods stores and gulping with surprise when they read the price tags attached to various outdoor gadgets.

However, selecting something for that man of yours should not be too difficult a chore unless you are planning to shell out a big parcel of folding stuff. There are choices to suit every budget. You can pick up useful gifts for less than a dollar, or spend several hundred.

But just a word for those who are planning to step into the high-price bracket. Unless the guy has dropped a hint of exactly what he wants, go slowly.

A shotgun, an outboard motor, a fine fly rod, a new rifle or a good spinning reel, for instance, would make a wonderful gift. But unless you have some information to work on, you have only an outside chance of matching his personal choice.

Some anglers prefer a glass fly rod to a split-cane creation; all hunters have definite ideas on the calibre and model of rifles they want; a trout fisherman won't thank you for a six-inch reel; and a fellow with a small boat can't use a 25-horsepower motor.

But don't let that stop you. Just make sure you do your buying from a reliable and experienced sporting goods dealer. He's a specialist and can do a lot to help you select the right items, provided he knows what they are going to be used for. And it's a good idea to make sure that the choice can be exchanged and then assure the fellow receiving it that you understand he may want to make a switch.

There's no law against the men helping late shoppers with a hint or two, like "I wouldn't have caught him in the duck blind last week if I had some of that insulated underwear that sells for around \$24 a set."

That's one way they can increase the chances of being able to use a convincing tone when they say, "Just what I've always wanted," next Wednesday morning.

Don't overlook clothing. Stiff stuff should be avoided, but some of the newer waterproof plastic pieces of apparel are really good. Insulated underwear and top-quality wool shirts are a bit expensive, but are always useful and should last for years. And nobody ever has too many pairs of good socks.

The selection is almost limitless, but here's a list of items that might help make your man's outdoor life more enjoyable:

SALMON FISHERMEN: Clothing, lures, fisherman's pliers, monofilament nylon or wire line, glass trolling rod, large landing net, sun glasses, tackle box (rustproof), knife, single-action reel, assorted sinkers, planer, rod-holder, vacuum bottle.

TROUT OR STEELHEAD ANGLER: Clothing, waders, creel, landing net, assorted flies, lures, fly box, nylon monofilament or fly line, spinning reel, sun glasses, glass or split-cane rod, leaders, small sinkers.

BIRD HUNTER: Clothing, shells, duck call, shell vest, decoys, shooting gloves, gun-cleaning kit, waders, reloading tools, hand trap and clay pigeons, vacuum bottle, knife, flashlight.

DEER AND BIG-GAME HUNTER: Clothing, knife, compass, belt axe, sleeping bag, waterproof match case, binoculars, rifle-cleaning kit, ammunition.

CAMPER: Camp stove, sleeping bag, tent, vacuum bottle, axe, compass, portable ice box, clothing, flashlight, knife.

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Pine-Tree (Pawnee) \$4.00 \$2.10 \$2.10
Billie Sue (Gibson) 9.00 8.10
Ray-Wire AC (Palmer) 3.20 12.50
Also: Orlay-Way, Countess Park, Tonweah, Hangnail Moon, Big Show, Run-in Trail, Love Bird, Equality, Time, 1:14.

Second Race—\$2,000, claiming, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs.
Swift Boots (Ycasas) \$4.50 \$4.00 \$2.50
Bunsaw (Mason) 3.20 3.20
Rangston Comet (Zolke) 3.10
Also: Fromm, Assa, Vias, Kooner, Dancing Mc, Better Not Bet, Deer's Dandy, Mon Pigeon, Decline, Skymont, Time, 1:12 3/4.
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Third Race—\$2,000, fillies and mares, mile and one sixteenth.
Macey Van (Pacheco) \$14.00 \$4.00 \$4.00
Dream Mansion (Lard) 10.30 6.30
Bunny Blusell (Prest) 3.20
Also: Najmeh, Cullie Khan, Our Merib, Flying Finish 2nd, Ultra Ultra, Time, 1:47 4/5.

Fourth Race—\$2,200, claiming, two-year-olds, one mile.
Up in Smoke (Ferguson) \$4.70 \$3.40 \$2.70
Alapleg (Fairholm) 3.20 3.20
Chief Kitchie (Domineque) 4.70
Also: Delphiny, Ronnie's Baby, Sandy Del, River Sand, Time, 1:42.

Fifth Race—\$2,000, three-year-olds and up, six furlongs.
Grades Great (Ferguson) \$10.50 \$4.00 \$2.10
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Melwood Boy (Ycasas) 3.20
Also: Pashatara, Irish Claim, Be Direct, Blue Barrister, Manila, D'Abernethy, Time, 1:13.

Sixth Race—\$2,400, Optional claiming, three-year-olds and up, one mile.
Tabacon (Riero) \$10.10 \$4.50 \$2.30
Vanderbar (Fairholm) 4.30
Gran Vito (Mason) 2.30

MINOR SOCCER

Following is the weekend schedule for the Greater Victoria Junior and Juvenile Soccer Association:

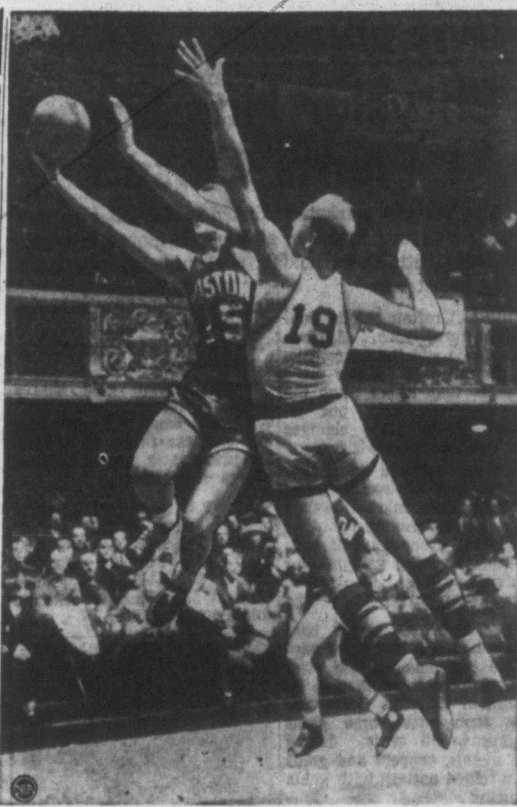
SAUNDAY
10:30 a.m.—Division VII, Hampton Eagles vs. Evening Optimists, Hampton Park.
Central vs. Bullen, Central Park.
10:30 a.m.—Division VI, Optimists vs. Hampton Eagles, Windsor Park.
Shepherd's Dairy vs. Gorgevay, Central Park.
Saanich Thistles vs. Reynolds Eagles, Lansdowne Park.
Victoria Ties vs. Maple-Royal, Heywood Avenue Park.
(All teams concerned in morning games are asked to report to home park at 10 a.m.)

1:30 p.m.—Division V, ANAF Vets vs. Esquimalt Lions, Hollywood Park; Eagles vs. Britannia, Central Park.
1:30 p.m.—Division IV, Eagles vs. Flyers, Victoria West Park.

SUNDAY
2:00 p.m.—Division II, Eagles vs. Langford, Carnarvon Park.
2:00 p.m.—Division I, Mariners vs. MacNutt's Grocery, Windsor Park.

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Leaping attempt by Vern Mikkelsen (19) wasn't enough to stop high-flying Tom Heinson of phenomenal Boston Celtics from scoring in National Basketball Association game at Minneapolis. Celtics won to continue their runaway pace in pro loop.

GUN CLUB PREPARED

Tons of Turkeys Ready for Shoot

Early Saturday morning, two truckloads of plump, plucked turkeys will be rolling toward Methosin.

Later during the day and through Sunday, the birds, in ones, twos and occasionally threes, will be lugged to their final destinations.

In case you haven't guessed, the turkeys—300 of them—will be prizes at the Victoria Gun Club's annual holiday shoot, which promises to be bigger and better than ever.

Already known as Vancouver Island's biggest turkey shoot, the event this year will be stretched over two days to accommodate an expected record number of gunners, many from up-Island points.

BIRDS BIGGER

Club secretary John Olson isn't taking any chances of underestimating the number of entrants. Although he expects that only about 12,000 rounds of ammunition will be fired Saturday and Sunday, he will have 20,000 clay pigeons ready for use.

"We've got two and a half tons of turkeys, 50 hams and 20 sides of bacon," says Olson. "That should be enough, but we can get more if necessary. And the birds are bigger than in other years. They average around 16 pounds."

Shooting starts each day at 9 a.m. and Olson urges contestants to arrive early since darkness usually prevents some late shooters from getting a chance to win a Christmas bird.

FIVE CLASSES

To give everyone a good chance to take home a turkey, gunners will compete in five different classes, including novice. Beginners may obtain coaching and the use of guns during the charity shoot.

Ammunition and refreshments will be available at the grounds and non-shooters will also be able to win turkeys and hams.

The gun club grounds are situated on the Methosin Road, one mile from the Sooke Road. Shooting starts Saturday and Sunday at 9 a.m.

AFTERNOON LADIES SEEKING MEMBERS

The Afternoon Ladies' Curling Club is on the hunt for a few more curlers.

The league, which launches a new draw Jan. 2 at 1:30 p.m., has vacancies for at least eight more members. Regular curling days are on Mondays and Thursdays.

Ladies wishing to curl are asked to contact the secretary, Mrs. L. Walls, at 4-6257 or at the Victoria Curling Club rink.

FIGHT RESULTS

SAN FRANCISCO—Bobby Seaton, 1214, San Francisco, outpointed Lauro Salas, 1294, Monterey, Mexico, 10.

LONDON—George Martin, England, outpointed Armand Savoie, Montreal, 8. (Weights unavailable.)

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TALBERT STILL UNDECIDED

Wanted: One Southpaw Netter

MELBOURNE (AP)—Captain Bill Talbert sent out an urgent call today for a left-hander to work with his United States Davis Cup squad and hinted he may gamble in the doubles to give Vic Seixas a rest on the second day.

"I have asked Dinny Pails, our professional, to try to secure us a southpaw," Talbert

said. "This is to get us accustomed to playing Mervyn Rose."

He said Pails has his eye on a young schoolboy in a junior tournament at Koo-Young Stadium.

Rose, veteran left-hander, is teaming with Mal Anderson in the doubles of the challenge round, scheduled for Kooyong Dec. 26 to 28.

Talbert demonstrated his indecision on the American

doubles lineup by calling for a dress rehearsal match today with Seixas and Gardner Mulloy teaming against Pails and Barry Mackay of Dayton, Ohio. There have been strong indications Mackay, 22, might replace Mulloy, 44, who was not at his best last week against the Belgians.

Talbert said his doubles plans will depend on what happens on the first day.

"We are not forfeiting a

thing," he said. "But it stands to reason that if Seixas, for instance, should have a tough five-set match on the opening day it might be impractical to play him in doubles and then expect him to go out and give a top performance again in the singles Saturday."

"So we might—now, understand I do not say we will—we just might hold Seixas out of the doubles and perhaps use Mulloy and Mackay."

MAY GAMBLE IN DOUBLES

'Ach, Still With Yard-Lines' Will Continue Until Jan. 12

By STEVE SNIDER

NEW YORK (UP)—The television set, its sound turned up high, was blaring away on a football game in a neighbor's house early last January. Out in the kitchen, a thickly accented part-time cook said in disgust, "Ach, still with the yard-lines?"

It'll be "ach, still with the yard-lines" clear up to Jan. 12 again this season as two major networks pour out a total of 11 tasty post-season football dishes for the nation's armchair quarterbacks. Three involve the pros. The others are bowl or all-star college games.

Before the torrent is over, you'll see about everything football has to offer from Ohio State's "grind 'em till they drop" offense to Navy's jitterbug defence, from Paul Brown's signal-carrying system (in which Cleveland has alternative offensive right guards running in and out with the play Brown wants called next), to the amazing sideline histrionics of Detroit defensive coach Buster Ramsey.

Here's the list:

Dec. 22—Detroit at San Francisco for the western conference pro title (CBC).

Dec. 28—Blue-Gray All-Stars at Mobile, Ala. (NBC). East-West All-Stars at San Francisco (NBC), Texas A. and M. vs.

Rangers' Annual Meeting Jan. 7

South Vancouver Island Rangers will hold their annual general meeting Tuesday, Jan. 7, in the ANAF Veterans Club auditorium.

Election of officers will highlight the meeting, secretary Stew Jameson said. All members are requested to be present in order to vote.

AUSSIE BEST

MELBOURNE (AP)—Mervyn Lincoln, Australian Olympian, Thursday night defeated Czech star Stanislav Jungwirth in a 1,500-metre run. Lincoln was clocked in 3:46.5. Jungwirth was second in 3:48.1.

DULUTH, Minn.—Wayne Womochil, 296, Omaha, Neb., stopped Don Jasper, 281, Duluth, 8.

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Tennessee in the Gator Bowl (CBS).

Dec. 29—Cleveland Browns vs. Detroit-San Francisco winner for the pro title (NBC).

Jan. 1—Ohio State vs. Oregon in the Rose Bowl (NBC). Oklahoma vs. Duke in the Orange Bowl (CBS). Mississippi vs. Texas in the Sugar Bowl (NBC). Rice vs. Navy in the Cotton Bowl (CBS).

Jan. 11—Senior Bowl All-Stars at Mobile, Ala. (NBC).

Jan. 12—Pro Bowl All-Stars at Los Angeles (NBC).

CROW ON DISPLAY

On display in the Gator Bowl will be the No. 1 football player of the year, halfback John Crow of Texas A. and M., winner of the Heisman Trophy and United Press player-of-the-year awards. Running opposite Crow will be the old Tennessee single wing, a novelty to many viewers who mostly see split-T, spreads or multiple offences that go mostly from a T.

Oklahoma is back in the

Orange Bowl with most of the same old stuff that pleased the customers two years ago in the same spot—sound football run off at a breath-taking pace. On the other side of the scrimmage line are a couple of backs sure to please—Wray Carlton and George Dutrow of Duke.

HIGH STAKES

It's a treat to watch Navy any time, but particularly when the stakes are high as they'll be against Rice in the Cotton Bowl. Navy coach Eddie Erdelatz, a refugee from the pros, is a cinch to have a gimnick or two going.

In the Sugar Bowl—one of the top comeback teams of the year. Texas, dead last in the southwest last year, rebounded with a 6-3-1 record under new coach Darrell Royal, challenges big, rugged Mississippi.

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Plea Heard for Boost In TV Copyright Fee

OTTAWA (CP)—The copyright appeal board Thursday adjourned until Jan. 20 hearings on an application by the Composers, Authors and Publishers Association of Canada to boost fees charged private radio and television stations and businesses using wired music systems.

"The performing rights organization has asked that its fee to broadcasters be raised to two per cent of gross revenue from 1% per cent. CAPAC also wants removal of certain deductions allowed now from stations' revenue.

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Victoria Daily Times 15
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Standing Bus Hit By Car; 3 Killed

STE. GERMAINE, Que. (CP)—An automobile struck the rear of a bus near here late Thursday killing both passengers in the car and the bus driver who had stopped his vehicle to put chains on the rear wheels.

The bus driver, Lucien Picard, 34, of St. Malachie, was killed when pinned to the rear of his vehicle.

Two passengers in the automobile, Leonidas Lapierre, 60, and Ernest Pouliot, 55, were killed. The driver of the car, Florian Pouliot, suffered serious injuries. All are from nearby St. Luc.

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Rainier, Grace Deny Planning To Make Movie

MONACO (AP)—Prince Rainier of Monaco today flatly denied a report that he and Grace Kelly would have leading parts in a film about Bernadette of Lourdes.

"There is not a single word of truth in it," the prince said through his press attache of the report that Princess Grace would play Bernadette.

The Vatican also disclaimed any knowledge of the film. "It's the first I've heard of it," said Msgr. Aldine Galletto, secretary of the pontifical commission for cinema and television, when told of a report published abroad that the Vatican had been asked to support such a film to be made in honor of the Lourdes centenary.

"It certainly can be excluded that the Vatican would engage in any such activity."

Roman Catholic pilgrims are expected to flock next year to the shrine at Lourdes, France, where Bernadette Soubiroux, a 14-year-old girl, said she had a vision of the Virgin Mary on Feb. 11, 1858.

Memorial Arena
FRIDAY
Cougars, 9:30-10:30 a.m.
Naden, 11:30-1:30 p.m.
Patch Session, 2:30-5:00 p.m.
V.F.S.C., 5:00-7:00 p.m.
Students' Jamboree, 8:00-10:00 p.m.
SATURDAY
Minor Hockey, 7:00-10:00 a.m.
V.F.S.C., 11:00-1:00 p.m.
Public Skating, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Pro. Hockey, 8:00 p.m.

'NO-EL' NOT 'NAH-EL' SAY FRENCH-CANADIANS

OTTAWA (CP)—The government should act "at once" to have French-speaking CBC radio announcers pronounce "Noel" correctly, Senator Jean-Francois Pouliot (Lib., Quebec) said Thursday.

The French word for Christmas should be pronounced No-el, not Nah-el, he said in the Senate.

"It bores the people to hear the commentators say all the time Nah-el."

He asked the government leader, Senator John T. Haig, to take steps "at once, so it stops tonight."

Penticton 'Scope To Aid Saanichton

The large radio telescope to be erected in a mountain valley near Penticton, will assist the research work of the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory at Saanichton, Dr. R. M. Petrie, observatory director, said today.

"Results from the observations of the radio telescope should be useful to astronomers here," he said. "We certainly will be collaborating with them."

The federal government announced this week it has ordered construction of the telescope which will be 84 feet in diameter. Two other buildings will be erected on the Penticton site.

The telescope will pick up radio waves given off by all objects in the heavens.

HAPPY YULE FOR PRISONERS

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—For those who like cigars and candy, Christmas Eve will be brighter at Alcatraz prison. Each of the 280 prisoners will get a two-pound bag of hard candy, several candy bars and six cigars.

Margaret Offered Job As Narrator on Jazz

LONDON (AP)—The Daily Herald says Princess Margaret usual for any member of the has received a request from a Royal Family to make record-American record firm to be on anything like a commercial basis. In fact it has never been done," he said.

The 27-year-old princess is a jazz enthusiast and a talented pianist—with emphasis on modern musical moods.

The Herald says a proposal that the princess make recordings came from the Tops Record Co. of New York which, it states is planning an "all-nations record album of jazz."

It adds part of the proposal is that royalties from sales would be paid to any charity nominated by the princess. A Buckingham Palace spokesman declined to confirm that such an offer is being considered.

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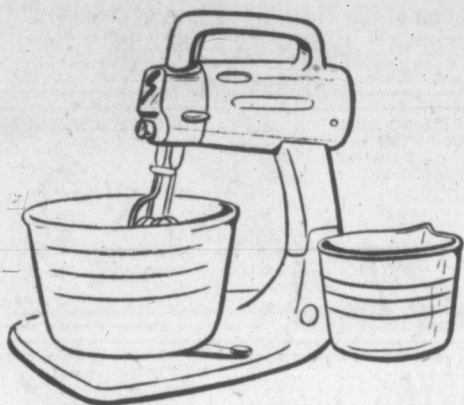
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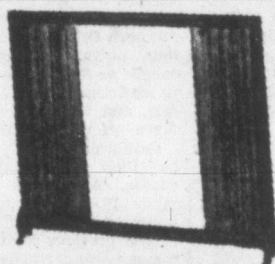
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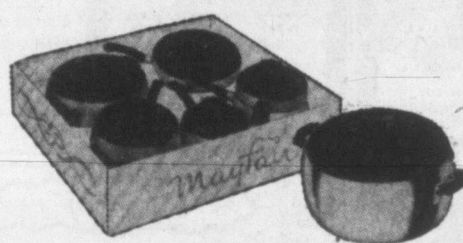


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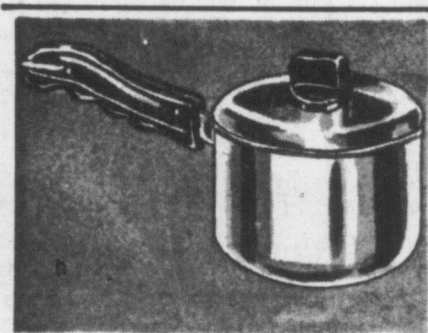
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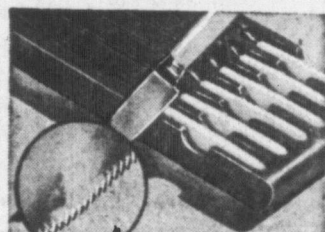
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BAY'S Trim-A-Tree Shop, 3rd floor!

Ornaments—Rich colors, delicate detail, make these beautiful sets really worth having, for with them, you'll make your tree a fairy story come true. Reflector centres catch the light and mirror it in gleaming beauty.

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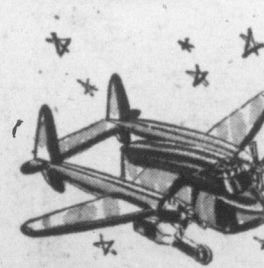
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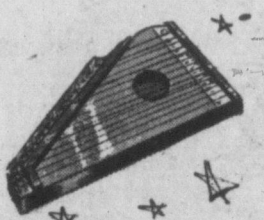
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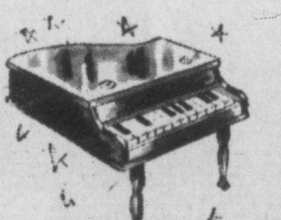
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Special 289⁹⁵

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New Windstorm With Lashing Rain

A three-hour whole gale with hurricane-force gusts hit Victoria Thursday, leaving downed trees, smashed automobiles, power failures, and fallen TV aerials in its wake.

A renewed windstorm, with lashing rain, is developing.

Thursday's storms averaged winds of 50 miles per hour from 2 to 3 p.m.; 51 miles per hour from 3 to 4 p.m., and 52 miles per hour from 4 to 5 p.m.

Strongest gust was recorded between 2 and 3, when the Gonzales weather office measured a 77-mile-per-hour blast.

Winds over 65 miles per hour are regarded as hurricane force on the Beaufort scale.

Limb Hits Cars

Main damage caused by the storm was at the civil service parking lot, Government at Belleville, where a seven-ton limb was torn from an elm tree and smashed across six parked cars.

One of them, owned by Robert Davidson, Royal Oak Ave., superintendent of the public library commission, was a total loss.

The loss was covered by comprehensive insurance. It is believed the other cars also involved carried "comprehensive." Rough estimates of total damage at this one spot was upwards of \$5,000.

Workmen today started clearing away the fallen limb, and to remove the shattered trunk. A second elm tree nearly also will be removed, according to Clive Campbell, deputy minister of public works.

The trees were brought here from eastern Canada 80 years ago by the Spencer family. They are white elm, a strong but brittle tree.

500 Trouble Calls

B.C. Electric workmen faced the toughest job during the of the storms. In the three-hour period, close to 500 individual trouble calls were answered.

Most of them were caused by "wind lash" of wires—two wires whipped together by the breeze, causing a short circuit to break the safety switch and plunge a small area in darkness.

Dozens of individual service lead-ins were cut off during the storm—more of them by falling TV antennae than by falling branches.

Despite force of the winds, shipping escaped damage. All small craft were safe in harbor as they obeyed gale warnings.

B.C. Power Commission also escaped storm damage.

Rash of Reports

But city police and firemen were kept on the hop as they answered a rash of storm trouble reports.

A "hot" wire was blown down in front of 810 Catherine, and police kept bystanders clear until it was repaired.

A 30-foot flagpole was ripped from the roof of the Chinese Free Mason Building, 619 Fisgard, falling across telephone and power lines. Capital Iron & Metals Ltd. lost 70 to 80 sheets of tin flashing from the roof.

Mrs. Vera Shaw, 3202 Aldridge, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital at 2:05 p.m. after being cut in the ankle by glass from a broken street light at Yates and Douglas.

A pane of glass was blown from a Pacific Club window, denting a parked car on the street below. One of the many TV aerials which went down, fell on a power line at 1525 Bay Street. Another five wire caused trouble at Skinner and Russell.

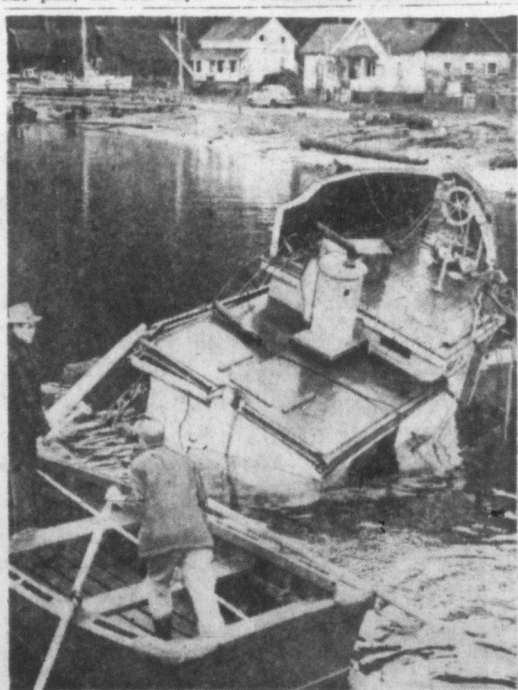
Pole Knocked Down

In Oak Bay, a telephone pole was knocked over on Milton, near Foul Bay Road; a tree branch hung over telephone lines on Monterey.

Saanich reported two trees downed, one on Hartland Road, one on West Saanich Road.

Victoria weatherman Bill Mackie said the storm was the latest in a series sweeping down from a low-pressure area in the Gulf of Alaska.

It was a fitting prelude to the official start of winter—which falls on Saturday. Today and Saturday share the distinction of being the two shortest days of the year, with sunrise at 8:03 a.m., sunset at 4:20 p.m., on both days.



THIS IS THE BOAT which last Saturday carried two Indian girls to their death in Georgia Strait, about three miles off Campbell River. It is the seiner Eva D1, which sank after hitting a piece of a breakwater. Twelve other children and eight adults escaped by clinging to a skiff. Boat is shown being raised from 50 feet of water. (CP Photo.)



Hurricane gust tore seven-ton branch from elm tree, crushed cars at civil service parking lot.

MONTE ROBERTS

People at all times of the year are apt to come up to me and ask me about dogs.

But at this time of the year, a great many more people are apt to come up to me and ask me about dogs.

For some reason, people seem to think I am interested in dogs, and that I know all about dogs.

Just to set the record straight, I am interested in dogs. Also cats, canaries, rabbits, chipmunks, horses, two-toed sloths, and you name it.

But I do NOT know all about dogs. I doubt if anyone knows all about dogs, and that includes dogs.

The reason, however, that more people come up to me at this time of year to ask about dogs than at any other time of year, is this:

The people wish to know where they can obtain a cute, cuddly little dog to give as a Christmas present.

There is nothing so cute as a cute little dog for a Christmas present, these people tell me, and please, where can they get one?

This question is easy enough to answer. There are many reputable kennels around and about these parts where dogs may be obtained at reasonable prices. And the SPCA small animal shelter usually has a good collection from which to choose.

But I am somewhat reluctant to provide the answer as to where a small, cute, cuddly dog can be obtained for Christmas present giving purposes.

The reason being so many cute, cuddly little dogs are given out as Christmas presents.

And they are the centre of attraction at the Christmas tree festivities, the object of much hugging and cuddling and ooh's and aah's, and over-feeding of rich, spicy foods which shouldn't happen to a human, let alone a dog.

Then, when Christmas has faded into the past, what happens?

The cute, cuddly little dog—who was cutely cuddled within an inch of his life—goes the way of most Christmas toys.

His novelty wears off, he becomes a nuisance, and the only reason he isn't thrown on the scrap heap is, there is a law against this.

That is why, when people come up to me at this time of year and ask me about dogs, I am more apt to give them a lecture than information.

The subject of the lecture being, please think twice before giving a small, cute cuddly dog as a Christmas present.

Think once about the pleasure the present will give to the recipient.

And think again about the pleasure the recipient will give to the present.

TOPICS OF THE DAY

The beautiful bells of Christ Church Cathedral will peal on three special occasions this Christmas season to gladden the hearts of listeners.

They will ring from 11 to 11:30 p.m. Christmas Eve, again on Christmas Day for the 10:30 morning service and on New Year's Eve they will mark the passing of the old year and entrance of the new.

A concert party sponsored by Britannia Branch Canadian Legion, was held at Mountain View Home Thursday night. Present with the concert troupe were branch president Peter Cairns and entertainment chairman, Les Kelly. Cigarettes and other treats were distributed with refreshments. The home is operated by the city for aged men.

A lunch-time program of songs, carols and rounds was given by the 60-voice Rotary boys choir to members of the club on Thursday.

Led by conductor Bill Hastings and accompanied by Mrs. Helen McVie the boys, ranging in age from seven to 17, dealt equally competently with carols, three-part rounds and such songs as the popular, rhythmic "Dry Bones."

A Victoria pedestrian who crossed Quadra at North Park Street Thursday night and was in collision with a car being driven south on Quadra is in good condition at St. Joseph's Hospital today.

James Cruickshanks, 904 Caledonia, received head injuries in the accident. Driver of the car was Isabel E. McLean, 2857 Fifth Street, city police said.

Boy's Condition 'Fairly Good'

A seven-year-old boy who dodged between parked cars Thursday afternoon to cross Gorge Road near Garbally, is in "fairly good" condition today at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Jacob Larsen, 595 Gorge, was in collision with a car driven west on Gorge by Robert Copley, 2833 Adelaide, city police said.

The boy's condition was described as poor on arrival at hospital. He received leg and internal injuries. The boy's condition improved following an operation.

Ronald Barker, Vancouver, was fined \$50 in city police court today for false pretences. He had pleaded guilty to the charge of passing worthless cheques to the value of \$20 in Victoria. Restitution has been made, court was told.

A sum of \$65 was collected at the Glenlyon Preparatory School's annual Christmas concert for presentation to the Queen Alexandra Solarium. The concert, held at St. Mary's Hall Wednesday, featured a pageant in eight scenes depicting the main points in British Columbia history, a short school play, skits, the singing of carols by Form III, and a pantomime "Jack and the Bean Stalk" by Form IV.

Slight head injuries were received by Patricia Monk, 24, of 51 Gorge, when a car driven west on Gorge Road by her husband, Ronald A. Monk, was in collision with a car being driven south on Albany by Robert N. McMath, 2870 Foul Bay, early today.

Mrs. Monk was treated at St. Joseph's Hospital and discharged.

Lee Chew, of Lee's Food Market, 3297 Douglas, was fined \$15 in Saanich police court Thursday for allowing his store to be open for the serving of customers Sunday, Sept. 22.

Sale of the main block of the old Colonist Building to F. W. Woolworth Company, was announced Thursday by Eddy Mallek, former owner. The property adjoins the rear of Woolworth's Douglas Street store. Future expansion of the store could now provide a Broad Street entrance, but plans are indefinite at this stage.

Mrs. H. E. Hunt, 63, 136 Olive, received a fractured shoulder when she fell down a flight of stairs at her home Thursday at 2 p.m. She was taken by city police to St. Joseph's Hospital.

Children of 5th Independent Medium Battery, RCA (Res) personnel, held their annual Christmas party tonight at 7:30 p.m. in Bay Street Armouries. More than 100 children are expected to attend. Carols will be sung, entertainment provided, and Christmas "treats" distributed.

Victoria Daily Times

VICTORIA, B.C., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1957 19

ELK LAKE SCENIC DRIVE PROPOSED BY SAANICH

A plan to construct a scenic drive along the west shore of Elk Lake was outlined to city council today.

Saanich council, by letter, said it is "prepared to buy" some privately-owned land for that purpose. Present road leading into the area is on city-owned land.

Saanich asked if the city would dedicate the required strip of city property as a park, provided Saanich acquires and dedicates the balance of the property necessary to complete the drive.

The matter came to Victoria-Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee for consideration earlier, but was tabled for more information. It is not expected to be dealt with until the new year.

PRINCESS' VISIT

Her Laughing Eyes Margaret's Forte

By NORMAN CRIBBENS

When Princess Margaret arrives here July 12, Victorians will have their first glimpse of a dainty, vivacious young woman with laughing violet eyes, brown hair and a fair, flawless skin.

I had a close-up view of her in London in October, 1952, when she attended the premiere of Charlie Chaplin's "Limelight" at the Empire Theatre, Leicester Square. On that occasion many of us likened her to "a fairy princess" as in a flowing gown of white lace she tripped daintily into the foyer of the theatre and received the homage of Chaplin and a host of other celebrities gathered to welcome her.

The little comedian, then under a political cloud in the

United States bowed low as he took the princess' tiny hand and said:

"Your Highness, I am deeply honored."

Margaret greeted almost everyone in the foyer (excepting the press) and during the performance of Chaplin's tragedy-comedy she was seen to be weeping and laughing alternately.

After the show, she approached Chaplin and his leading lady, Claire Bloom, with sparkling eyes and told them in simple, unaffected terms how much she had enjoyed their work.

WIDE POPULARITY She has often been called "The Sweetheart of the Empire" but her appeal extends far beyond the British Commonwealth.

The world has watched her grow from a mischievous child into a poised young woman—but she has never lost her quick wit or her gift of mimicry—sometimes a source of embarrassment to the Royal Family.

In a moment of ecstasy, a London newspaper once spoke of her eyes as "the most beautiful in the world."

A few days later, while dancing at Buckingham Palace, Margaret said to her partner: "Look into my eyes. There now, do you appreciate that you are gazing into the most beautiful eyes in the world?"

While her partner fumbled for the right answer, she teasingly replied: "Don't you believe what you read in the newspapers?"

Margaret has never been to North America before but she has traveled widely in other countries, including South Africa, the West Indies, Italy, Switzerland and France.

In 1949 she was received by Pope Pius XII in Rome. When they met in the Vatican library, Margaret bowed and Pius XII made a gesture of raising her. She did not kiss the fisherman's ring on the Pope's right hand, which is a symbol of his spiritual authority over the world's Roman Catholics.

Although many Anglicans objected to her calling on the Pope, her meeting with him was acclaimed everywhere as a diplomatic triumph.

Civil Service Talks Bog Down

Public Hearing Request May Go to Chief Justice

Executive of the B.C. Government Employees' Association will hold a special meeting Monday to consider their next move in the dispute with the government over bargaining rights.

It is considered likely the civil servants will ask Chief Justice Gordon Sloan to hold a public hearing on the issue.

Both sides met with the chief justice Thursday in continuation of negotiations underway since he was appointed as a one-man board of reference last July.

Ed O'Connor, general secretary of the association, said the meeting "reached a point of disagreement."

Mr. O'Connor said the government rejected the association's demand for implementation by legislation of a regulated bargaining procedure for civil servants.

The association has requested that government employees be given the same bargaining rights as other workers in the province.

The government takes the stand this would be "inconsistent with Canadian constitutional practices."

At the Monday meeting, the association executive will decide whether to ask Chief Justice Sloan to make a ruling on this point.

It was also learned that the Chief Justice will continue the

Police Chief's Mother Dies Mrs. Catherine Blackstock, mother of Police Chief John Blackstock of Victoria, died Thursday night at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Born in Campbelltown, Scotland, she arrived in Victoria in 1904. Her home was at 3969 Gordon Head Road.

Surviving are the husband, James MacMillan Blackstock; a daughter, Mrs. Douglas Campbell, and four sons, John, William, James and Douglas, all of Victoria.

Funeral service will be held Monday at 1:30 p.m. at McCall's, and interment will take place at Hatley Memorial Gardens.

TRAFFIC FINES

In city police court today: Horace Edward Nix, 329 Huntington, \$35 for careless driving, \$35 for no driver's licence.

Andrew and Cathleen Morrison, Burnside Food Market, 101 Burnside Road West, \$10 for employing an unlicensed chauffeur.

Keith Murray Ludbrook, 3155 Glasgow, \$25 for speeding in 30-mile zone.

Kenneth Raymond Alexander, 2356 Oak, \$25 for speeding in 30-mile zone.

Mead Hepworth, 4265 Quadra, \$25 for speeding in 30-mile zone.

George James, 401 Cook, \$35 for careless driving, for careless driving.

Marjorie Fortye, 1045 Belmont, \$35 and licence suspended for careless driving.

Eva L. Hammond, Sidney, \$10 for driving wrong way in one-way traffic.

2 Sentenced To 1 Year In Jail In Coil Theft

Robert Clifford McMullen and Thomas Peter Baxter, both of Vancouver, each were sentenced in city police court today to one year in jail for theft of 15 metal coils from Capital Iron and Metals Ltd. Dec. 5.

The sentence will be served concurrently with three-year terms imposed in Central Saanich court Thursday, for robbery of scrap metal from the Todd Inlet unit of B.C. Cement Co.

City police court was told Wednesday McMullen and Baxter had sold two loads of scrap to Capital Iron and Metals.

Baxter testified he had later left McMullen at Brentwood Auto Court and "more or less drove around and I spotted these coils... I guess they were in the Capital Iron yard."

Baxter pleaded guilty to the charge of theft under \$50. McMullen pleaded not guilty but was found guilty.

The two men were stopped by Duncan RCMP about seven miles north of Duncan Dec. 6, and 1,500 lbs. of coils were found in their U-drive car.

ASK THE TIMES

Q.—How many FM stations can be picked up on a good radio in Victoria? How many of these broadcast in multiplex?—J.S.

A.—There are five FM stations, Victoria's CKDA, and in Vancouver, Seattle, Tacoma and Portland. Multiplex is the simultaneous broadcast of programs over both FM and AM. Usually the same programs are broadcast over both. For proper FM reception a dipole antenna should be used.

Q.—How many persons follow the teachings of the Koran?—K.P.

A.—About 225,000,000 follow the dictates of the sacred book of the Mohammedans. The Koran is the standard of all law and practice among Mohammedans.

Anyone wishing a question answered is invited to send the question along to The Times, addressed to "Ask The Times" Editor. Questions and answers will be published daily. All questions should deal with matters of fact and be of general interest. The Times does not undertake to solve conundrums.





SHOPPING GUIDE

Eat Light Foods on Weekend
If You Would Enjoy Yuletide

By PENNY SAVER

There's going to be a great deal of eating going on next week and it will be a surprise if we all don't finish the Yule season a good few pounds heavier.

This weekend, I thought we'd stick to light foods and give all the rich turkey, gravies, mince pies and pudding a rest before the big, big day. Are you with me? Good, because we're going vegetable and fruit shopping!

What a sight! I'm thinking 'bout the produce stands that boast vegetables and fruit that are crisp and colorful.

Here it's December (and nearly the end of the month) and carrots are still making a bright appearance in the produce shops. They are fresh too, just as if they had been pulled out of the moist earth this morning. They're delicious... especially when you eat them hot with loads of fast melting butter! Hop into your car and step on the gas 'cause they come at two bunches for 19 cents.

Celery is only 19 cents, so you can throw a stalk or two into a fresh, tossed salad for an extra bit of interest.

For the dieters in the house, it has been said that celery is one of the most filling, low calorie vegetables!

Other little salad "touchers," are the fresh field tomatoes on the stands today. A bright addition to your "winter wonder" salad! Tomatoes are selling at 25 cents a pound.

"Winter Wonder Salad." A fine name for a salad that's full of vegetables. Choose the vegetables you're going to place in your salad bowl carefully and we guarantee that your family will love it!

If your family is small, a box of Mandarin oranges hangs around for a long time. Solution is—buy your oranges by the pound. At two pounds for 39 cents you can keep the fruit bowl filled to the brim.

Of course, if you have a large family then the economical way is to buy boxes of these popular oranges. They will go so fast.

Eat little this weekend my friends! Save all your energies for the Christmas feasts ahead. If you're interested in the light diet for Sunday telephone me at 2-3131.

A TIP!

Here's a glorious presentation for Christmas dinner—a rich pudding served in bursts of flame. Sound difficult and tricky? Not at all. Just dip cubes of sugar in lemon or orange extract enough to moisten. Arrange them around the cake, then ignite and serve forth in glamor.

TODAY'S RECIPE

ALMOND BRITTLE

One and a third cups granulated sugar, 2/3 cups brown sugar (packed), few grains salt, 1/3 cup light corn syrup, 1/3 cup water, 3 tablespoons butter or margarine, 2 teaspoons vanilla, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 cup roasted unbalanced almonds.

Combine sugars, salt, corn syrup and water in saucepan, and stir over low heat until sugar is dissolved. Bring to boil, add butter and cook without stirring to hard crack stage (300 degrees F.) or until syrup separates into hard brittle threads when dropped into cold water. Remove from heat and stir in vanilla, soda and almonds. Turn out onto greased baking sheet. When cool enough to handle, pull edges out to make candy thin. Mark into squares with sharp knife while still warm. Cool thoroughly and break along marks.

Makes about 1 1/2 pounds candy.

Annual party—Members of the Victoria Women's Institute met recently in Orange Hall for their annual Christmas party. A pot-luck luncheon was served at tables decorated with holly and red candles. During the afternoon color slides were shown by Mrs. Stella Gummow on her recent trip around the world. Gifts were exchanged and afternoon tea served.

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WHY GROW OLD?

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN

Walking Is Best Exercise
When You're Pregnant

Q—"It seems to me that I shoulder pits. Palms cling to the floor and legs are straight. Roll from side to side, going as far in each direction as possible. The calves are difficult to reduce. This is one of the best exercises I know for this: Sit on the floor with your legs resting on the floor in front of you. Bend the left knee. Grasp the left ankle with your hands. Straighten the left leg, and as you do, pull the hands down the leg in a strong massage. Bend the leg again and continue. After a time do the same thing with the right leg."

A—"You should not take the exercises at this time. During pregnancy walking is the best exercise and, since you are subject to miscarriages, only as much of that as your doctor prescribes."

However, when you can exercise, and for others of my readers who wish to lose in the thighs and hips, here are a few: 1. Thighs: Stand facing the wall and place the hands on the wall for support. Bend the left knee up high. Straighten the leg as you kick back vigorously, feeling the flesh shake. Bend the knee—kick. Continue for a while with the left leg and then do the same thing with the right.

2. For hips and thighs: Lie on the floor on your back with your arms resting on the floor, extending straight out from the

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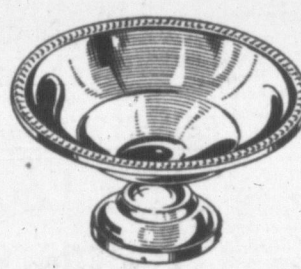
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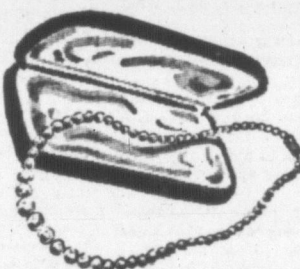
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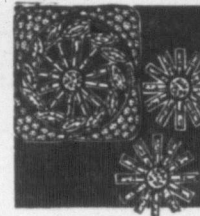
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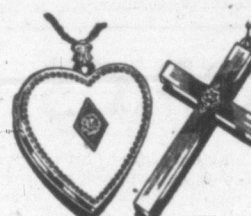
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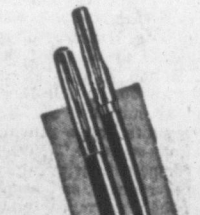


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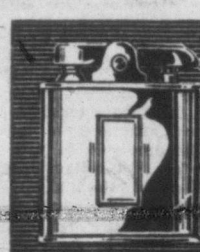


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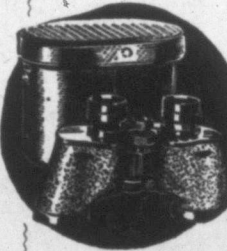
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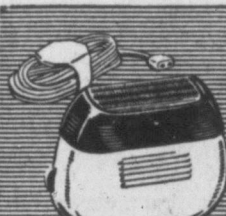
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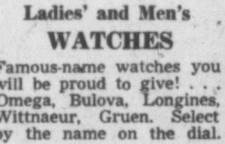
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Condemned Man Leaves Eyes to Blind

WELLAND, Ont. (CP)—Thomas Laplante, 22, of Hamilton, sentenced to be hanged Jan. 7 for the slaying of Edwin Jones of Hamilton, has asked to have his eyes left to the Canadian Institute for the Blind.

Laplante has asked Dr. A. R. Pudon, Welland county jail physician, to arrange for the donation.

His lawyers seek a temporary stay of execution in order to prepare an appeal for clemency to the federal cabinet.

Tot Suffocated as Crib-Side 'Falls

ST. CATHARINES, Ont. (CP)—Gary Silverstein, eight-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Silverstein, was suffocated today when the drop side of his crib fell on his throat.

Murder Case Hearing Adjourned

HAMILTON, Ont. (BUP)—Magistrate Beamer Hopkins today adjourned until Monday the preliminary hearing of 38-year-old John Willis, accused of murdering his wife earlier this month.

Dr. H. L. Foster, a pathologist at the Hamilton General Hospital, testified today that 37-year-old Mrs. Elsie Willis had died from blows to her head and strangulation. He said the woman died about 12 hours before the body was found in the Willis home on Dec. 4.

Cancer-Man Hoxsey Accused of Fraud

DALLAS (AP)—The Texas State medical board of examiners Friday accused Harry H. Hoxsey of "subterfuge and hocus-pocus" during a court attempt to put him out of the cancer-treatment business.

The board, represented by two members of the state attorney-general's staff, asked a permanent injunction to stop Hoxsey from leasing his 65-room clinic here to Dr. Harry M. Taylor.

Housing Starts Doubled in November

OTTAWA (CP)—Almost double the number of new houses were started last month than in the corresponding month last year. Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation reported today.

The government's housing agency said starts totalled 9,585 in November against 5,679 a year earlier. However, in the first 11 months of the year starts dipped to 74,802 from 84,134.

'Spooknik' Reported Haunting Skies

WASHINGTON (AP)—A "spooknik" has been haunting the heavens.

Discovery of a "ghost satellite"—a kind of invisible radio image of Sputnik I above North America at times when the satellite itself was on the opposite side of the world—has been reported by Dr. Harry W. Wells of the Carnegie Institution of Washington.

10-Year Average Farm Price Basis

OTTAWA (CP)—Agriculture Minister Harkness, faced with criticism inside and outside Parliament, has shuffled the government's farm price support plan to relate it specifically to a form of parity and to base its benefits on a 10-year, rather than a three-year, average.

He announced in the Commons today that his new farm bill will be amended to specify that price supports shall be set with "regard to the estimated average cost of production of the commodity, and such other factors as the governor-in-council cabinet considers to be relevant."

He said the change "will make it clear that the cost of production is the most important factor."

The measure, as introduced Saturday, provided that annual price supports could be set at the start of each year for any farm commodity, based on the average price in the preceding three years.

It also provided what the government called an "ultimate security"—that nine products should always be supported at a level at least 80 per cent of the three-year-average base price. These are cattle, hogs, sheep, butter, cheese, eggs and barley.

Mr. Harkness, making his announcement as debate opened on the principle of the bill, said these provisions will be

switched to a 10-year average.

He said the 10-year period now will include five years of the highest prices Canadian farmers have ever enjoyed, 1948-52.

The changes, to be written into the bill at a later stage, were announced after indications in the last few days from the CCF and Social Credit parties that they were prepared to fight the original measure.

Farm organizations, including the influential Canadian Federation of Agriculture, had criticized it.

Mr. Harkness' speech today indicated criticism had come from within Progressive Conservative ranks as well. He said Conservative representatives of rural areas had expressed "concern" that the bill's purpose was not sufficiently explicit.

The main Opposition criticisms have been that nowhere did the original bill make any statement that price supports should be related to parity—generally considered to involve relating farm prices to costs of other commodities.

Another issue is that a three-year average now would cover the last three years of depressed farm prices.

Mr. Harkness said the guarantees intended by the government had been "implicit" in the bill. The government now was merely spelling them out more precisely.

EISENHOWER ARRIVES HOME

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower returned to Washington after a week's trip to Paris, where 15 NATO allies drafted a blueprint for coping with the Communists in the missile age. He was greeted by vice-president Nixon and about 50 U.S. and foreign officials.

Fishboat Sinks, 1 Man Missing, Another Saved

Survivor of Ordeal Making Recovery

One man is missing and another is recovering at Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges, Salt Spring Island, following the sinking of the fishboat Scot Isle in a storm Thursday night in Stuart Channel, one-half mile off shore from Salt Spring Island.

Survivor of a three-hour ordeal, of which little is known, is Alfred I. Aunli of 10625 River Road, New Westminster. He is suffering from "immersion foot" and severe shock, but at press time was reported in satisfactory condition.

According to sketchy reports given police, the 37-foot vessel capsized in stormy seas. Aunli was able to reach shore in the vessel's dinghy, but was not able to help his partner, as yet not identified by the RCMP pending notification of next of kin.

UNWITTING HOST

Aunli made his way to Vesuvius Lodge, at Vesuvius Bay, where he called Const. H. E. Bonner of the island RCMP detachment at Ganges at about 1 a.m. today. When Const. Bonner picked him up at 1.30, Cmdr. Henry Forrester, proprietor of the lodge, learned for the first time that he had sheltered the shipwrecked fisherman.

"The power at the lodge had gone off earlier in the evening, so my wife and I had retired," Cmdr. Forrester said. "Between 1 and 1.30 we were awakened by the terrific wind drumming on our television antenna."

"There was nothing we could do about it, so I went down to the kitchen to make up something to eat and drink. It was then that I saw lights on and heard a car door slam. It was Const. Bonner coming back to

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Poll Leader Files Own Disclaimer

CAMPBELL RIVER, B.C. (CP)—R. D. Jamieson, who topped the polls at the recent civic elections, has filed a disclaimer because one of the persons nominating him did not have proper qualifications.

Mr. Jamieson said he filed the disclaimer rather than wait for disqualification.

Peter Kopp had only six months' residence qualification instead of the required 12 months.

A by-election will be held. Nominations close Dec. 30 and voting will take place if necessary in January.

Princess In B.C. 2 Weeks

(See Also Page 19)

Official announcement of Princess Margaret's visit to British Columbia in the 1958 Centennial year was made here today by Premier Bennett and in Ottawa and London.

She will arrive by air direct from London on July 12, one week earlier than the date previously speculated.

She will spend two weeks in British Columbia, and afterwards will spend a further 10 days touring the rest of Canada. It has not been settled which dates she will be in Victoria.

She is making her trip to North America as a direct result of British Columbia's centennial invitation.

Premier Bennett said he is "extremely pleased" she had accepted the invitation, and stated her presence would greatly enhance the province's centennial celebrations.

NO DETAILS YET

R. A. Pennington, deputy provincial secretary, likely will be in charge of arrangements for the princess while she is in the province.

"But no details have been worked out yet. I don't even know where she will be staying," he said. A government committee probably will be struck to handle the details of the royal visit.

Burned-out Government House is unlikely to be ready for the visit, said Public Works Minister W. N. Chant.

"But we'll do our very best... within the physical limitations." If Government House is not ready, she possibly will stay in the Empress Hotel where Lieutenant-Governor Frank Ross is now residing.

Among visits she is expected to make throughout B.C. is one to Nanaimo where she has been asked to cut the huge 10,000-pound centennial birthday cake being baked to mark observances.

Centennial committee chairman L. J. Wallace termed the visit "like a Christmas present."

"We have been waiting for this news for months. Now we can start making final arrangements for those events which will centre around Princess Margaret's visit."

TO SEE ALL REGIONS

He predicted the visit would be kept as informal as possible. "We want her to see all regions of the province and to get to know our people on an informal basis as royal protocol will allow."

The visit of Her Royal Highness will throw centennial year plans into high gear.

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Canada's Extremes

High—Toronto 56
Low—Whitehorse —16



M' Uncle Zeke's decided th' new "forestry czar" w'd be a good man t' write about gittin' a Christmas tree.

Gittin' ahead o' th' other feller don't allus mean gittin' ahead.

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HRH PRINCESS MARGARET

Narrow Margin On NATO Issue

Macmillan Wins Commons Support Beating Labor Opposition 289 to 251

LONDON (Reuters)—The government today defeated by a vote of 289 to 251 a Labor Opposition challenge to its handling of issues raised at the Paris NATO conference.

By the vote, the House of Commons supported decisions taken by Prime Minister Macmillan and Foreign Secretary Selwyn Lloyd at the NATO meeting in Paris—decisions which involve the basing of American-made missiles in Britain.

The prime minister told the House that these ballistic missiles—with an intermediate range able to reach targets in the Soviet Union—would only be used by the United States with British agreement.

Five Conservative rebels abstained.

They argued, as did the Socialists, that Macmillan surrendered too much of Britain's sovereignty in agreeing to the establishment of four American-supplied intermediate-range ballistic missile bases in this country.

Macmillan wound up the debate by declaring that Britain would have "a complete veto" on the use of the American missiles in this country.

Macmillan said the rebels within his party were being "a little ungenerous" in saying the United States wanted to use Europe for its own protection.

"We should not forget that during the period of trying to build up NATO, we lived for nine years under the protection

of the immense air power of the United States," he said.

The Paris NATO decisions, he added, "will strengthen our position both for the defence of freedom and for the seeking of peace."

The rebels are headed by independent Conservative Lord Hinchinbrooke, who led a group of nine Conservatives out of the party a year ago in protest against the decision to withdraw following the Suez intervention.

Vancouver Stocks

VANCOUVER — The afternoon was particularly quiet, with few sales at the closing. Liberal Pete moved 1,000 at \$12.1. Silver Standard traded 200 at 11.



TAKES OVER

Indonesia's parliamentary speaker Sartono today was sworn in as acting president while President Sukarno is out of the country — (AP Wirephoto)

Vancouver Police Hunt Swindlers

By PETER MURRAY

A gang of phony stock racketeers who bilked U.S. investors of an estimated \$875,000 from their "offices" in Vancouver have been routed by provincial securities officials and police.

The bizarre story of how the international ring operated behind a door marked "Kiwanis Club of Vancouver Youth Services" came to light today.

The men, believed to number about 20, carried on the swindle for about seven weeks until they fled last week just before police closed in.

The fraud detail of the Vancouver police force is attempting now to track down the gang.

The men sold stock by long-distance telephone to persons living in rural areas of the Eastern U.S.

The stock was in a company named "Canadian Alumina Corporation Limited," said to be backed by a Halifax brokerage firm.

The gang operated a total of 17 telephones from three separate premises in Vancouver. "One was a former bootlegging establishment."

Cost of the long-distance calls ran up to \$8,000 a week and was paid from phony names given the telephone company for billing purposes.

\$25,000 A WEEK

Authorities believe the "salesmen" split up \$25,000 in commissions each week, representing about one-fifth of the total proceeds from the stock sales.

At \$125,000 per week, it is estimated the sales totalled \$875,000 over the gang's seven-week operation.

The salesmen told the long-distance operators to tell prospective stock purchasers in the U.S. that it was "Canada Calling," without mentioning Vancouver.

This was done so the pur-

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JOHN D. HEARS U.K. DEBATE

LONDON (CP)—Canada's Prime Minister Diefenbaker visited the British House of Commons today and heard part of a stormy debate on the NATO summit conference.

House for informal talks with George Drew, Canadian high commissioner to the United Kingdom, and senior Canadian officials.

The Diefenbaker party, which includes Defence Minister and Mrs. G. R. Pearkes and Finance Minister and Mrs. Donald Fleming, was scheduled to depart from London Airport at 12.30 PST.

Later the prime minister and Mrs. Diefenbaker had lunch with the Queen. Prince Philip was not present because of a previous engagement.

The prime minister also scheduled a call at Canada

CARS, TRUCKS NEEDED TO DELIVER HAMPER

Drivers with cars, station wagons or trucks are needed for the distribution of more than 400 Christmas hamper among needy Victoria families Saturday morning and afternoon.

Volunteers are asked to get in touch with Mrs. May Campbell, chairman of the Christmas Bureau of the Community Chest at 5-6531.

The Christmas Bureau and the Surplus Food Stall have joined forces this year to assist families not looked after by other welfare agencies.

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MARGARET

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The 27-year-old princess' first major foreign visit was in 1947 when she went to South Africa with other members of the royal family. Princess Margaret and the Queen Mother toured Southern Rhodesia in 1953 and two years later the princess visited the West Indies.

The invitation to come here was made through the provincial government. Federal Works Minister Howard Green (Vancouver-Quadra) said "the visit will be particularly gratifying to the people of my own province British Columbia, and will make the celebration of our 100th anniversary of the foundation of B.C. very much more significant than it would otherwise be."

The princess will open centennial celebrations at Fort Langley, but no further details of her agenda are expected to be announced until after the New Year.

TOURED KENYA

Princess Margaret has frequently expressed a desire to see Canada.

Actually her last outside-England visit was last year when she made a "whistle-stop" tour of Kenya.

There is no indication her visit to B.C. will be extended to take in the United States.

Canadians now only need to see Prince Charles and Princess Anne to complete the set. The royal children are expected to visit Canada in 1959 for official opening of the St. Lawrence Seaway.

Body Recovered

PRINCETON (CP) — Two rings, a piece of jewelry and some clothing are the only clues to the identity of a woman killed in a mountain plane crash. Her body was brought down late Thursday in a howling blizzard from Mount Thynne, 40 miles northwest of here.

Died Instantly

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C. (CP) — Seven victims of a mountain landslide here Nov. 22 died instantly, RCMP Sgt. J. E. Rutan believes. He told a coroner's jury Thursday he supervised the unearthing of five bodies.

Ouster Completed For Three Unions

U.S. Labor War May Follow Final Action By AFL-CIO Officers

WASHINGTON (AP) — The reform-minded AFL-CIO acted today to complete ouster of the teamsters, laundry and bakery workers' unions from all echelons of the united labor movement.

The three unions already have been kicked out of the big federation on corruption charges. George Meany, AFL-CIO president, and William Schnitzer, secretary-treasurer, followed up this national-level expulsion by ordering the federation's more than 650 state and local groups to act immediately to sever relations with units of the three unions.

They ordered teamster locals

STOCK

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chaser would have no clue to the location of the ring.

The fact they were operating from the Pacific Coast, making sales in the East, was designed to throw securities officials in both the U.S. and Canada off the track.

TO HALIFAX

Victims of the swindlers were told to send payments to the Halifax firm, which forwarded commissions to the men in Vancouver.

The federal Securities and Exchange Commission in the U.S. had told the Halifax firm to "cease and desist" from the sale of Canadian Alumina Stock in the U.S. Other state securities officials had taken similar action.

Opening of the Vancouver office was aimed at getting around these orders.

STUMBLED ON IT

B.C. authorities today ordered upon the swindle by accident. Provincial superintendent of brokers, Stewart Smith, recognized a known eastern Canadian stock racketeer in a Vancouver hotel lobby earlier this month.

Vancouver police immediately began an investigation into the man's activities and four days later "staked out" the Vancouver offices.

On the morning of Dec. 5 the police fraud detail and Mr. Smith raided the premises, but the gang had gone.

expelled from state and local groups forthwith, and directed similar ouster of bakery union locals unless they affiliate within "a reasonable time" with a newly chartered reform organization, the American Bakery and Confectionery Workers International.

The orders from AFL-CIO headquarters to sever all relations with the ousted unions on state and local levels could touch off a labor war around the United States.

The ousted unions more or less have been holding fire following their recent national expulsion from the AFL-CIO. The expulsion was on grounds their leaders are corrupt and have refused to accept federation reform directives.

The powerful teamsters union, for example, has been restraining locals from crossing picket lines of striking AFL-CIO unions to deliver materials to strikebound plants.

The AFL-CIO action directing ousters in states and cities may cause the teamsters to retaliate. President-elect James R. Hoffa has said the teamsters "never would fire the first shot in a labor civil war," but implied that the union would always be ready to return any fire.

Check on Planes

PARIS (Reuters)—French authorities today ordered troops to guard all airliners on the France-North Africa service after a time-bomb hidden in the wash room of a plane blasted a hole in its fuselage Thursday.

The plane, carrying 89 passengers, landed safely at Lyons and nobody was hurt.

Bowling Guests

Members of Victoria Aged Pensioners No. 3 will be guests of the Strathcona Bowling Alleys Monday at 1.30 p.m.

SLOAN

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for a member of the Bench, and particularly a chief justice, to return to business in any form," the Liberal leader said.

"He will no longer be blessed by neutrality in his new post," CCF Leader Robert Strachan said he approved the appointment of Chief Justice Sloan, but did not approve of the government's methods.

"We welcome a continual examination of the forest industry and its problems," the opposition leader said, "but we must protest the devious method which the government has used to provide the machinery for such examination."

Mr. Strachan said the position of a forest commissioner should be set up only under the Forest Act, not the Public Inquiries Act used by the government.

Under the Forest Act, the appointment would be the right of the legislature to decide.

Mr. Strachan said the government had thrown the Sloan forestry report back at the chief justice and told him: "Now that you have written this report, tell us what to do with it."

HE'S THE MAN

The CCF leader added: "If any man can do this job, Chief Justice Gordon Sloan is that man."

David Sturdy, whose allegations before Chief Justice Sloan's forestry commission launched the Sommers bribery conspiracy case, said the appointment was "purely political."

"The creation of this new office is entirely unnecessary and in my opinion was effected for the purpose of enabling the government to answer its critics at the next election, who will say that forestry has not been properly administered in the last five years," Mr. Sturdy said.

"All that is needed is a capable minister of forests. I think Mr. Bennett's motives are purely political."

"At the same time they are costly."

Ralph M. Shaw, president of MacMillan & Bloedel Ltd., said: "I think it is a good idea. The chief justice is well suited to the task. He is a man of great capability and wide experience, and we heartily approve."

Mr. Shaw noted that his company had been thinking in the same direction for several years. Appearing before the forestry commission in November, 1955, it had actually proposed the chief justice might head up an advisory board.

B.C. DOCTORS TO APPEAL TAX RULING

VANCOUVER (CP)—British Columbia eye specialists will appeal the decision of the income tax board on alleged prescription kickbacks to the Exchequer Court of Canada.

Vancouver lawyer J. L. Lawrence said Thursday the appeal will be led by Senator J. B. De B. Farris, probably when the Exchequer Court sits here in March.

The new appeal follows the income tax appeal board's rejection of the claim of 22 Vancouver and Victoria eye specialists that money they received from an optical company was not subject to tax.

Defendants Drop Injunction Suit In Sommers Case

VANCOUVER (CP)—An injunction suit started Dec. 12 by four defendants in the Sommers bribery case was discontinued Thursday.

The suit by H. Wilson Gray, John M. Gray, Pacific Coast Services Ltd. and Evergreen Lumber Sales Ltd. was against the Canadian Bank of Commerce to prevent examination of bank records under search warrant.

A bribery conspiracy charge is pending in Vancouver police court against the Gray brothers, former forests minister Robert Sommers and C. D. Schultz.

Weather-Bound

Investigation of an oil slick near Big Zero Rock has been called off by the Search and Rescue centre due to high seas. The slick may be evidence of the fate of the missing light plane piloted by Abbotsford lawyer H. T. Fitzsimmons, who disappeared on a flight from Langley to Patricia Bay.

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New York Threatened Total Transport Strike

NEW YORK (AP)—Michael J. Quill, president of the Transport Workers' Union, has threatened a total shutdown of all subway and bus service in New York City New Year's Eve.

Quill made the threat Thursday after the city transit authority balked at negotiating a new contract with the TWU.

The current agreements between the union and the authority and eight privately owned bus companies expires at midnight Dec. 31.

The transit authority said it cannot negotiate a new contract with the TWU until it gets clarification from state legislative leaders on the status of such a contract.

Behind the squabble is an assurance the state leaders gave the striking independent Motorists' Benevolent Association in ending an eight-day subway walkout last Monday.

The state leaders promised to introduce and speed a bill to strip the transit authority of its right to designate bargaining units.

The MBA is contesting the TWU's right to represent the subway system's 3,167 motor-men.

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Accused and Firm Paid Money Linked in \$80,000 Theft Trial

VANCOUVER (CP)—An accountant charged with forgery and theft of nearly \$80,000 from the British Columbia Electric Company was linked to the firm to which the money was paid, a witness said Thursday.

The accused, William F. Blair, 37, of North Vancouver was identified by Cloverdale postmaster Kenneth A. Patterson as the man who rented a post office box Dec. 3, 1956, in the name of Hallmark and Associates.

Patterson said he remembered Blair because he closely resembled a Cloverdale garage operator.

Blair, a cost control supervisor with B.C. Engineering, which like the B.C. Electric, is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the B.C. Power Corporation, elected trial by judge and jury when he appeared in police court.

Blair is charged with the theft of \$39,454.04 from the BCE and with forgery by mak-

ing a false document, a declaration of partnership in the name of Hallmark and Associates.

Geoffrey L. Hazzard, general purchasing agent for the BCE, said he had never authorized the purchase of 975 hundred-weight of rolled steel plates for the company's Cheakamus power station project.

Shown a cheque for \$24,625, he said this worked out to 16.8 cents a pound and would be "premium steel." Some premium steel was used on the project but it was brought to Vancouver from two U.S. steel mills, fabricated and taken to the site as pipe.

Mr. Hazzard said he was equally sure the BCE did not receive three or four car loads

of reconditioned reinforcing bars.

Vancouver Rolling Mills, producers of such material, were big electricity users and "it would be very serious to buy bars elsewhere. It is a matter of policy."

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Monologue---Going Into Battle

WHY sure, I'll go shopping with you tonight, if you want. But what's the use of rushing this thing?

There's still all day Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. What's that? Oh yeah, we are kind of tied up on Tuesday, aren't we?

The only thing, though, I thought we might get the Christmas cards off tonight. You've got to do 'em a fair distance ahead of time on account of the Christmas rush.

That's the out-of-town cards, of course.

You've already done them? Well, gee, that's swell. Only why didn't you ask for a little help?

You did 'em last week while I was sitting across from you reading? Shucks, I thought you were going through last year's to make sure we had everybody on the list.

Oh, you did that last January when you were cleaning up. Yeah, that was wise. Good idea.

I'LL GET AROUND TO IT

Well I guess we don't have to address any more Christmas cards then, eh? Sure, sure. There are a few down at the office. I'll get around to them. Should have sent 'em last week to reach eastern Canada? Maybe. Yeah. Guess I should have. Only they get "Happy New Year" too. They ought to get there for that.

It's later than I think? Natch. It always is. But, okay, maybe we'd better go shopping tonight. We'll have to pick up something for the kids and the folks. I guess we'd better sort of figure out what we ought to get.

You've already got them? Well now, you certainly get things done around here. I'm pretty lucky to have someone like you handling things. Pretty lucky, alright. You know the luckiest day in my life was... No

UN CORRESPONDENCE

By CHARLES LYNCH

Tip-Toe Diplomacy

NEW YORK—The General Assembly finally achieved an agreement on the Algerian question this week, the first agreement of this session on a political matter.

It was achieved through quiet diplomacy behind closed doors. It was then brought almost on tip-toe into the plenary meeting and deposited in the ample hands of the Assembly president, Sir Leslie Munro, who cupped it tenderly.

Sir Leslie read the compromise resolution to the Assembly, noting that time did not permit it to be typed and distributed in the normal way. Delegates who had howled so loudly about Algeria during nine days of fruitless debate remained quiet as mice as Sir Leslie intoned the agreed formula.

The president assumed his most awesome frown as he looked around the room to see if there were any delegates who wished to speak to the question. There were none, so he put it to the vote. It came out 80 in favor, and none against. With a violent bang of the gavel Sir Leslie adjourned the meeting, and the whole thing was over in less than five minutes.

It was a put-up job to get the Algerian question off the books in orderly fashion. What it did to help toward a solution in Algeria is open to serious question—but at least it did show that the Assembly can accomplish something if the willingness to compromise is present.

GREAT MEDIATOR

It also showed the value of backroom diplomacy in certain situations. In the backrooms, the diplomats can exercise their talents for negotiation, whereas in the public debates they are pretty much confined to invective and showmanship.

The deadlock of last week on Algeria was chiefly due to the insistence of the Arabs that the Assembly should "call for" negotiations between France and the Algerian rebels,

and the feeling of nations friendly to France that the most the Assembly should do was "express the hope" that a solution would be found in Algeria.

When the Arabs would not retreat from their position, there was a stalemate, the vote being 37-37.

Canada, the great mediator of this rather fruitless Assembly session, set to work again to find common ground, and the result was a resolution "expressing the wish," which in diplomatic parlance is a happy medium between "calling for" and "expressing the hope." The boys must have had their dictionaries beside them when they worked this one out, for what the resolution "expressed the wish" for was "that in a spirit of effective co-operation, pourparlers will be entered into, and other appropriate means utilized, with a view to a solution in conformity with the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations." A pourparler, says the Oxford Dictionary, is an informal discussion preliminary to a negotiation, and the finding of this word must go down as one of the major achievements of this Assembly session.

LAST WORD

Associated with Canada in this diplomatic and literary exercise were Brazil, Cuba, the Dominican Republic, India, Iran, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Norway, Peru, Spain and Thailand.

With such a list of sponsors ever the Soviet Union did not venture to rock the boat, though Soviet delegate Arkady Sobolev could not refrain from piping up just before the Assembly president banged his gavel.

In view of the fact that this was the first time the Assembly had adopted a resolution which had not been submitted in writing, he said, it might be appropriate for the president to assure the Assembly that this was an exception and would not create a precedent.

Sir Leslie, driving to wind up this Assembly session, crossed the Algerian item off his list and beamed at the Soviet representative.

"Sometimes," he said, "exceptions are very important."

WEATHER SYNOPSIS

CITY'S WEATHER RECORD
Sunshine, 1957 ---- 2,228.8 hrs.
Last Year ---- 2,262.6 hrs.
Precip. to date ---- 19.80 ins.
Last year ---- 31.22 ins.

SYNOPSIS—Fresh winds and frequent rain showers over Vancouver Island and the southern mainland of British Columbia mark the leading edge of still another surge of moist air from the Pacific. Increasing cloudiness and scattered snowflurries are expected over the southern interior during the day as the disturbance moves eastward over the province. Westerly winds and scattered showers will follow in its wake. Northern regions of the province will escape most of this activity but all present indications point to unsettled weather during the next 24 to 48 hours.

DOMINION PUBLIC WEATHER OFFICE
9 A.M. FORECASTS
Valid until midnight Saturday
Victoria: Cloudy Saturday with occasional showers in the vicinity. Little change in temperature. Winds southeasterly 20 becoming southwesterly 30 during the late forenoon decreasing to 15 tonight. Low tonight and high Saturday 38 and 45.

Vancouver - Georgia Strait: Cloudy with scattered showers Saturday. Little change in temperature. Winds southeasterly 25, gusting during the morning becoming westerly 20 this afternoon. Low tonight and high Saturday at Vancouver and Nanaimo 35 and 45.

West Coast: Cloudy with scattered showers during the afternoon and tonight and Saturday. Little change in temperature. Winds southeasterly 25 becoming westerly 20 during the morning. Low tonight and high Saturday at Estevan Point 35 and 45.

TEMPERATURES YESTERDAY
Min. Max. Prep.
Victoria ---- 41 50 .21

ONE YEAR AGO
Victoria ---- 43 46 .44

ACROSS THE CONTINENT
St. John's 29 32 --
Halifax 14 43 --
Montreal 42 46 .25
Ottawa 40 49 .19
Toronto 41 56 .32
Port Arthur 31 37 --
Winnipeg 15 36 --
Regina 14 30 --
Saskatoon 15 30 trace
Lethbridge 33 41 --
Calgary 22 33 --
Edmonton 5 25 --
Kamloops 33 42 --
Penticton 37 39 --
Vancouver 38 50 .14
Kimberley 24 36 .06
Prince Rupert 50 36 --
Fort St. John -7 -3 .29
Whitehorse -16 -4 trace
Seattle 42 51 .18
Portland 44 53 1.06
Chicago 44 56 .32
San Francisco 50 60 --
Los Angeles 50 67 --
New York 54 57 .02

Sunrise, Sunset Saturday
Sunrise .8.03 Sunset .16.20

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Pacific Standard Time)
Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht.
H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M.

High Water				Low Water			
20	6.30	9.30	10.30	2.30	9.00	10.30	1.4
21	6.17	9.13	10.20	8.30	9.01	10.18	1.4
22	6.02	8.53	10.00	9.00	8.51	10.00	1.9
23	5.50	8.33	9.40	9.10	8.42	9.58	2.4
24	5.40	8.14	9.20	9.11	8.33	9.48	3.1
25	5.30	7.54	9.00	9.12	8.23	9.38	3.8
26	5.20	7.34	8.40	9.13	8.13	9.28	4.5
27	5.10	7.14	8.20	9.14	8.03	9.18	5.2
28	5.00	6.54	8.00	9.15	7.53	9.08	5.9
29	4.50	6.34	7.40	9.16	7.43	8.98	6.6
30	4.40	6.14	7.20	9.17	7.33	8.88	7.3
31	4.30	5.54	7.00	9.18	7.23	8.78	8.0

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR
(Pacific Standard Time)
Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht. Time Ht.
H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M. H.M. P.M.

High Water				Low Water			
20	6.40	9.40	10.40	2.40	9.10	10.40	1.7
21	6.25	9.25	10.25	8.25	9.10	10.25	1.9
22	6.10	9.10	10.10	8.40	9.00	10.10	2.2
23	5.55	8.55	9.55	9.00	8.50	10.00	2.5
24	5.40	8.35	9.35	9.10	8.40	9.50	2.8
25	5.25	8.15	9.15	9.20	8.30	9.40	3.1
26	5.10	7.55	8.55	9.30	8.20	9.30	3.4
27	5.00	7.35	8.35	9.40	8.10	9.20	3.7
28	4.50	7.15	8.15	9.50	8.00	9.10	4.0
29	4.40	6.55	7.55	9.60	7.50	9.00	4.3
30	4.30	6.35	7.35	9.70	7.40	8.50	4.6
31	4.20	6.15	7.15	9.80	7.30	8.40	4.9

Shaw's New Alphabet Starts With \$28,900

LONDON (Reuters)—George Bernard Shaw's cherished dream of a phonetic English alphabet was launched Thursday, seven years after the death of the great Irish playwright.

A long legal battle produced a compromise settlement allowing \$28,900 to the revolutionary plan for a 40-letter alphabet made up of half-longhand, half-shorthand writing.

The amount was far less than Shaw had hoped for. In his will, he left more than £100,000—almost all of his estate after taxes—to a proposed "alphabet trust."

The crochety writer with the biting wit revised the will several times, trying to make it what he called "legal-proof," would defeat the intention of a classic simplicity in writing. The Shaw society appealed wound up by producing one of the court's decision and Thure—the most complicated documents day's compromise was the Thure-British lawyers ever had seen, suit.



Nuclear Test Ban Useless, Says Scientist

NEW YORK (AP)—A noted H-bomb scientist says a ban on nuclear tests would "make a future war more brutal and would be beneficial only to that party which could and would violate the ban."

Dr. Teller urges mutual help in the free countries as a means of increasing their chances of national survival and independence.

Writing in Foreign Affairs, published by the Council on Foreign Relations, Dr. Edward Teller expressed belief that a ban on nuclear tests could not be enforced. "Actually, a nuclear test is easily noticed only if it is performed in the most obvious manner," Dr. Teller writes. "There can be no doubt that if a nation wants to carry out tests in secrecy, observation will be difficult and uncertain."

The University of California physicist says it is not possible to say all attempts at disarmament will fail, and each proposal should be examined on its merits. But the ban on nuclear tests—a keystone of the Soviet disarmament proposals—would meet difficulties, he adds, when the West faces "a clever and ruthless opponent."

HE HAD REASON TO GO BERSERK

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Magistrate E. N. Johnson Thursday levied a \$10 fine against Joseph Derago, 32, accused of ripping loose telephone wires and gas and water pipes in his home.

"I was disgusted," Derago said. "I went into the cellar to fix the water tank and it fell on me."

Boy Refuses Blood, Succumbs

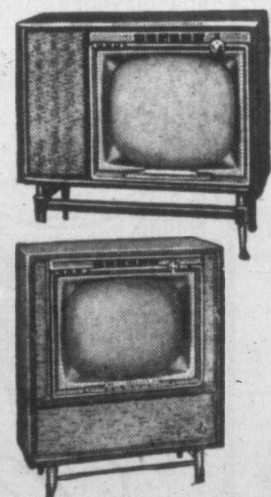
KANSAS CITY (AP)—A 19-year-old boy who agreed with his father that he should not accept a blood transfusion because of their religious beliefs died here Thursday. John Black, Jr., had been in hospital since Tuesday with an accidental bullet wound in the neck. The elder Black, who said he is a member of the Jehovah's Witnesses, refused to allow the transfusion, and told doctors his son agreed with the decision.

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School children all over Victoria staged Christmas previews today with classroom parties, complete with costumes, treats and exchange of gifts. It was a double celebration for youngsters; today they pack

up their books until Jan. 6. Santa Claus masks, junior style, were favorites at party held this morning in James Bay Elementary School. (Times Photo by Bill Halkett.)

ENTRIES

GOLDEN GATE

FIRST RACE — Six furlongs:
Moonlight 117
Fox Hall 112
Kyrat 119
Truly Blue 107
Bill's Wish 115

SECOND RACE — Six furlongs:
Noble Choice 112
Beau Sierra 112
Roma 112
W. Cruiser 112
U. Knighted Way 117
Presidio 108
Re Armed John 115
Boring Melody 104

THIRD RACE — Mile and sixteenth:
Maiden 109
Nancy Van 106
Vine 106
Tribal Warrior 111
Ransom Comet 111

FOURTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Past Sails 117
Lomitas Time 117
Verna Doll 108
Verna's Girl 114
Strong Sue 117
Existentialist 117

FIFTH RACE — French Orphan 117
Coma Lea 108
Ally Winona 114
Next Penny 110
Freddy Martin 105

SIXTH RACE — Mr. Roy 111
Beatty Flight 114
Honor 2nd 111
Seago 108

SEVENTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Uplift 104
Burgundy Belle 112
Molobo 110

EIGHTH RACE — French Orphan 117
Coma Lea 108
Ally Winona 114
Next Penny 110
Freddy Martin 105

NINTH RACE — Rewarding 119
Purvey Africa 109
Solid Sir 110
Dark N Phar 114

FAIR GROUNDS

FIRST RACE — Six furlongs:
Chivler 113
Wable 111
One Light 107
Jim Cloud 116
Easy Lure 116
Stallabma 111
Joe Ann Plush 104
Champ Thrill 111
Carrara Sue 111

SECOND RACE — Six furlongs:
Blue Talk 113
Red Dots 114
Was Alone 115
Blue Wayne 117
War Ace 110
Windraze 112
Buster Jim 115
Dunwood 112

THIRD RACE — Top Dude 114
A-No Defeat 118
Bow Wild Oats 111
B-One Boot 116
Pietro 114
A-Bank Or Swim 118

FOURTH RACE — Six furlongs:
My Pick Too 113
Lady Hunter 107
Wise Fleet 114
Black 111
HMF Carat 111
A-Grand Fiesta 118

FIFTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Harvest Moon 112
A-Champ Bortier 113
Blue Wayne 117
Bowl Clerk 119
Pewee 115
Tucky Miss 108
Turk Pic 113

SIXTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Fly Across 111
More Brown 111
Tom Hunter 114
Captain Quick 111
Will Command 117

SEVENTH RACE — Six furlongs:
A-First Refusal 108
B-Horn 121
A-Six Line 118
Double Bid 112
B-Bernardine 121

EIGHTH RACE — Six furlongs:
A-John's Bid 110
Dudley Road 119
The Box 108
Demander-Mor 111
Bullin 113
Rare Legend 112
Clark 112
B-Lord Jan 111
Linda Pal 104
Kentucky King 110

NINTH RACE — Six furlongs:
Blue Hens 112
Star Dancer 109
Xippi Pigeon 112
Tiger Dancer 112
Heavy Payer 115
John B 115
Mr. Gunner 112
Old Shaker 115

SELECTIONS

GOLDEN GATE

1-Kyrat Bill's Wish, Rose P.
2-Re Armed John, U. Knighted Way, Noble Choice
3-Capt. Pass Me, Wa-Natcha, Tribal Warrior
4-Lomitas Time, Le Clid, Precocious
5-Perky Lad, Ally Winona, French Orphan
6-Honor 2nd, Big Uncle, Beauty Flight
7-Burgundy Belle, Tonyville, Athens
8-Paulie, H. Pardon, Tail Chief 2nd
9-Dark N Phar, Rewarding, Lost Gloves

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1-Jim Cloud, Warble, Carrara Sue
2-Angle, Blue Talk, Regis

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KREMLIN COMPLACENCY ROCKED

Russian Science Trailing U.S. Academy Chief Tells Deputies

MOSCOW (Reuters) — Dr. Alexander Nesmeyanov, president of the Soviet academy of science, startled Soviet deputies in the Kremlin today with a series of criticisms of Soviet science.

He told them "great efforts

are still needed to beat the United States on all scientific fronts."

Nesmeyanov, speaking at a session of the Soviet council of the union, listed these flaws in Soviet scientific development:

There were "shortcomings" in expenditure on scientific equipment; Equipment provided for Soviet scientists was "antiquated"; Funds for Soviet research were less than in the U.S.; Not enough money was spent on equipping laboratories;

Work was duplicated; Industry failed to "produce what the scientists want." However, Nesmeyanov also pointed out that the Sputnik bore witness to the superiority of Soviet rocket techniques and also to "great progress in the realm of mechanics, mathematics, chemistry, radio techniques and automation."

Nesmeyanov pleaded for more money for research.

T-BRICKS FOR KOREA

Joy, Toys, Turkey--- Or Cold Despair?

In five days Victoria children will open their eyes to a Christmas of happiness and warm delight.

Korean children will wake the same morning to hopelessness and cold despair.

Christmas for them is not a day of toys and turkey. It is just another day in a long chain of days that brings a sharper hunger, a more engulfing sickness.

Happiness is almost too much to ask for Seoul's sick children.

But they can be given hope. Hope in the form of bricks to build a fine new TB outpatients' pavilion in the slum-infested centre of Seoul.

Each brick we buy—and

Thursday Victorians purchased another 2,402—gives them another reason for living.

The pavilion that will rise before those children's eyes next year will give them renewed hope for three things—comfort, care and cure.

But our work is not yet completed. To meet the \$12,000 cost of the pavilion, we need 600 of the bricks, we need Christmas.

Will you help? Send donations to the Victoria Daily Times, Douglas Street, or The Times downtown office, Broad Street. Make cheques payable to the Unitarian Services Committee, "T-Bricks for Korea" fund. (See donors, Page 31.)

... FISHBOAT

Continued from Page 1
tell me he had the injured man and was taking him to the hospital.

BLOOD ON FLOOR

"There was blood in streaks on the floor. I suppose he had come to the lodge, found the telephone, and done everything

himself. I haven't seen him yet."

The police boat stationed at Ganges set off this morning with a police crew in an effort to find the missing man, but at present he had not been located.

Aunli made his home with his brother Lars, and sister-in-law at the New Westminster address.

M & B Shutdown Set for Tuesday

CHEMAMINUS — MacMillan & Bloedel Ltd., Chemainus division, will close down Tuesday for the Christmas holiday, the last shift working from 7.30 a.m. to 4.30 p.m.

The sawmill will resume normal operations Dec. 27, and the last shift to operate Dec. 31 will be the 7.30 a.m. Nanaimo River and Copper Canyon camps shut down today. A definite date to resume operations is not known at present.

Pedestrian Death Ruled Accidental

THOMAS — Death of Alexander Thomas, 79, in a highway mishap Dec. 12 at Wellington, five miles north of Nanaimo, was declared accidental at an inquest here Thursday.

Thomas was walking on the highway near Long Lake when he was struck by a car driven by Howard Anthony Dare of Courtenay. Mr. Dare was absolved of all blame in the accident.

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Automatic Phones For Gabriola Is.

NANAIMO—Gabriola Island will have its own automatic telephone system next year.

This has been announced by Lionel A. Huxtable, commercial manager for B.C. Telephone Company at Nanaimo.

Mr. Huxtable said that there are 45 subscribers on the island, served on long lines via submarine cable out of Nanaimo central office. The lines are filled to capacity now, and in order to improve service and make way for future growth, a new exchange is planned.

Under the planned arrangement, which will come into effect in the fall of next year, automatic equipment will be located on the island, and operator service and long distance will be handled from the Nanaimo switchboard. Local calls, of course, will be dialed.

Trustee Wants Board Offices At Saanichton

SIDNEY—Trustees of Saanich School District 63 will study a suggestion from Trustee Reginald Sankinson that Saanichton be chosen as the site for the board's proposed new office building.

Mr. Sankinson, chairman of the board office committee, recommended construction of a building of 1,400 square feet, to include a board room of 400 square feet. The present building here is inadequate and in poor condition, he said.

WORKSHOP

The board also is considering construction of a workshop, preferably close to the office. The shop in the basement of the old Royal Oak School is ill-lighted, too small, and poorly located, according to the office committee.

Construction of two separate buildings would have the advantages of keeping the office quiet, reducing the first hazard, and making possible a cheaper type of construction.

Sum of \$18,000 is available for the workshop, Mr. Sankinson said.

School Borrowing Proposal Protested

NANAIMO—Nanaimo School Board has protested a recommendation from the education department that it borrow from the bank to cover the department's portion of shareable capital costs for November, amounting to \$36,219.

"Why should we shoulder part of the provincial debt and have to pay interest on it?" asked Ted Barsby, school board chairman.

DONE BEFORE

According to a department spokesman, such payments, often are delayed temporarily while the department awaits a

"propitious" time for sale of its bonds. It has been customary for local boards to borrow for this purpose since 1955, he said.

The board went on record as "protesting this method of financing without prior notification."

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Free Show, Party For Chemainus Youth

CHEMAMINUS — Chemainus sub-local of the IWA will be host to youngsters of the district under 12 years at a show and party in the Willow Theatre Saturdays at 2.

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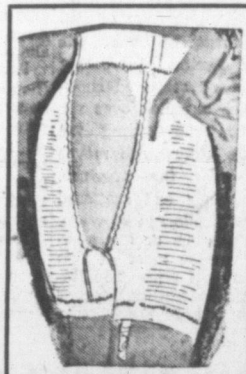
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